WEATHER FORECASTS

For 36 hours ending 5 p.m., Wednesday:

Victoria and vicinity—Light to moderate winds, generally fair and mild.

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COMMITTEE OF SAFETY CONTROLS PEKING

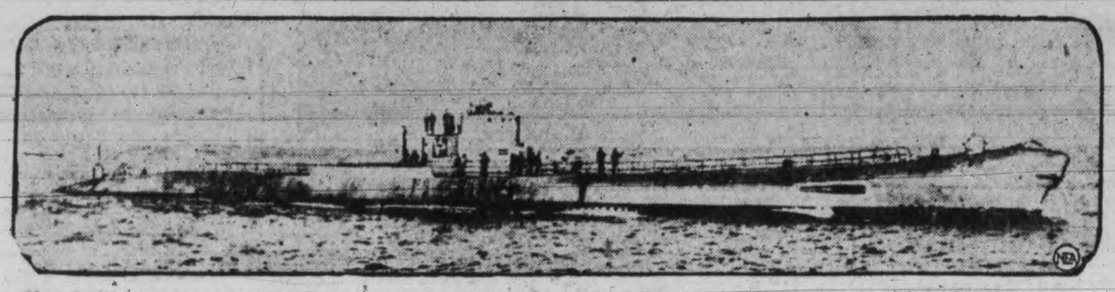
100 FISHERMEN OF JAPAN ARE MISSING AFTER GREAT STORMS ON ORIENTAL SEA

Destroyer Searching for Men in Distress After Violent Weather Disturbance; Casualties on Island of Hokkaido and Kurile Islands; Property Losses Reported.

Tokio, April 20.—More than 100 fishermen are reported missing as a result of severe storms in the Sea of Japan. Considerable damage has been done and there have been casualties on the island of Hokkaido and on the Kurile Islands.

A destroyer is aiding in the rescue of mariners.

EXPLOSION IN UNITED STATES SUBMARINE INJURES TWELVE MEN



New London, Conn., April 20—Twelve men, members of the crew of the United States submarine S-49, which was moored at a dock at the submarine base here, were injured this morning when the after battery in the vessel exploded. One man may die.

The submarine had been moored at her berth and her battery was under process of being charged during the night. Escaping gas fumes are believed to have been the cause of the explosion.

The explosion produced a tremendous concussion which hurled the dozen men in the steel wall compartment against the submarine chamber. While most of the men are suffering from the effects of gas and fire, it is believed broken limbs constitute the greatest injuries.

CHINESE CAPITAL AWAITS ARRIVAL OF ARMY CHIEFS

Hastily-formed Committee of Safety Performs Functions of Government After the Resignation of Chi Cabinet and Departure of Deposed President Tuan for Tientsin; Tuan's Flight Assisted by Relative.

Peking, April 20.—Tuan Chi-Jui, latest deposed President of China, departed from here for Tientsin early to-day. Apparently discouraged by eviction from the city by pressure of the Fengtien authorities of General Tang Chi-Tao, who with his troops called the Ninth Division was the deposed President's last reliance, the latter found it expedient to desert the post, to which he had announced his return after emergence from hiding in the legation quarter after evacuation of the capital by the National Army.

The former chief executive, it is alleged, made his passage to Tientsin as a result of the assistance of a relative, who procured the necessary safe-conduct through the Fengtien camp on the railway outside the city.

The former chief executive's flight evidently puts an end to his regime, since the Cabinet of his appointment shows no inclination to function. The en bloc resignation of the Cabinet last evening resulted in the announcement that Premier Chia Teh-Yao had been granted leave of absence, but there was no word as to the acceptance of the other Ministers' resignations.

The only authority, therefore, outside the military, whose chiefs have not yet entered the capital, is vested in a committee of safety, which was hurriedly assembled on invitation of the outgoing Kuominchun (National Army) commander.

LASH FOR PEDDLERS OF DRUGS ASSURED; B.C. VIEW UPHELD

Parliament Expected to Ratify Province's Request For More Drastic Law

Legislature's Demand and Manson's Work Bring Desired Results at Ottawa

British Columbia has won out in its fight to secure the use of the lash on drug traffickers. This is the interpretation placed here upon the introduction of legislation in Parliament designed to bring about this change in the existing drug laws.

While sponsored by Dugald Donaghy, of North Vancouver, a private member, the last legislation has the sympathy of the Federal Government, and is virtually assured of passage, in the opinion of Attorney-General Manson. Mr. Donaghy's action follows the efforts of Mr. Manson to get more drastic anti-drug laws placed on the Federal statute books. Mr. Manson said to-day he had no doubt Parliament would approve the new legislation.

HOUSE URGES LASH

At its last session the Legislature registered its desire for a law giving judges power to use the lash on persons convicted of selling drugs illegally. Major Gus Lyons of Victoria sponsored a resolution on the subject and Mr. Manson co-operated with him in securing its passage through the House.

Since the session Mr. Manson has been in touch with the Minister of Justice and the Minister of Health at Ottawa, as well as Hon. J. H. King, British Columbia representative in the Cabinet, in an effort to

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FRANC SANK TO 30.32 TO DOLLAR

Paris, April 20.—The French franc steadily declined to-day and when the Bourse closed it had reached a new low level at 30.32 to the dollar, as compared with yesterday's closing figure of 30.27.

VICTORIA IS IN EXCELLENT SHAPE COMPTROLLER SAYS

Citizens Advance Entire Sums to Run City to Date This Year

Handsome Reductions in Tax Bills Passed in Initial Reading of By-law

Comparative figures showing the progress made by the city after the period of war depression known to every Canadian municipality was well expressed last night in figures tabled by D. A. Macdonald, city comptroller, in regard to bank borrowings.

In 1924 the city had borrowed over $250,000 by the end of March; in 1925 the borrowings up to the end of April 15 had fallen to $150,000; while this year the city has not called on the bank for a red cent piece at this date.

This shows one angle of the result of the city's plan for the voluntary prepayment of taxes, yearly gaining in favor. Over one-quarter of a million dollars has been advanced to the corporation by its taxpayers this year to date. On this sum they will receive 6 per cent. or the equivalent of a good sound bond investment interest, and better than offered by many a commercial issue. The interest acts automatically as a discount against tax bills, and renders payment of the total sums more within reach of the small and large holder alike. The plan is the work of City Treasurer Edwin C. Smith, and got off this year to a flying start.

The tax by-law 1926 received first readings last night, giving effect to the marked reduction made in Victoria tax bills this year. The mill rate is 39 mills on an assessment considerably less than in 1925. Interest, principal and sinking funds

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FONCK PLANNING PLANE FLIGHT FROM NEW YORK TO PARIS

Paris, April 20.—Captain Rene Fonck, French war ace, now plans to start his attempted non-stop flight from New York to Paris early in July, he told War Minister Painleve to-day. He estimates the flight will require thirty-five hours.

SPITZBERGEN FLIGHT ON SATURDAY NEXT

Amundsen North Pole Dirigible Norge to Leave Leningrad That Day

Leningrad, April 20—Under present arrangements the Amundsen-Ellsworth Polar dirigible Norge will leave for Spitzbergen about noon next Saturday.

The Leningrad geographical observatory has arranged to transmit by wireless, weather bulletins from Russian stations throughout the flight.

Visitors continue to swarm to the big hangar at Trotsk, near Leningrad, to view the Norge. They average 10,000 daily.

From Spitzbergen it is the intention of Amundsen and Ellsworth to fly the airship across the North Pole.

WORD AWAITED

New York, April 20.—No word has reached the Fairbanks, Alaska, base of the Detroit Arctic Expedition from Captain George H. Wilkins and Lieut. Carl Eielsen, his pilot, who left the base last Thursday morning on their third trip to Point Barrow, according to dispatches to the North American Newspaper Alliance.

FIGURES LAID BEFORE COMMONS SHOW IMPROVEMENT OF C.N.R.

Ottawa, April 20.—"Should substantial reductions in freight rates be essential for the well-being and development of any section of Canada," declares Sir Henry Thornton, president of the Canadian National Railways, in the Canadian National annual report, tabled in the House by the Minister of Railways this afternoon, "relief should take the form of a government subsidy without disturbance of a reasonable tariff fabric."

The report shows the operating surplus of the Canadian National Railways during 1925 was $15,020,163 ahead of the previous year. The net deficit, after meeting all fixed and other charges, was $41,444,764, or $13,405,654 less than the previous year.

"It is interesting to note," says Sir Henry Thornton, "that the net operating earnings were approximately equal to eighty per cent of the interest payable to the public on funded debt as compared with about forty-five per cent in 1924."

A further encouraging note is struck in the report by an item under the heading of "Finance" which reads:

"In the Appropriation Act for 1925 the sum of $50,000,000 was voted for Canadian National purposes during the (Dominion) year to end March 31, 1926. It has only been necessary to obtain $10,000,000 of this amount from the Government. Payment of the balance has not been required, partly because of increased resources due to larger gross and net earnings than were expected, and partly as a result of substantial reductions in the purchase of materials and supplies, and also partly by the use of working capital."

Summing up the earning position of the company in 1925, Sir Henry Thornton, while admitting material progress has been made in the direction of producing operating results which will relieve the Government and the people of Canada from further financial burdens, again sounds a warning that a continuance of increased net operating earnings can not be made in the face of a continuance of reductions in railway tolls.

ARMS LIMITATION SUPPORT DECLARED

Kellogg Says U.S. Desires Agreement Extending Washington Treaty

New York, April 20.—Policies of the United States Government on outstanding international issues were bared to-day by Secretary Kellogg in an address at the annual luncheon of the Associated Press.

On the question of armament limitation, the Secretary of State said the United States Government would "welcome an agreement which would complete the work begun in Washington" at the 1921 con-

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ITALY NOW TURNS EYES TO ABYSSINIA

Fear of Outbreak of War Grows Less in Turkey as Situation Clears

Constantinople, April 20—The newspapers here describe the situation arising over possible Italian aggression against Turkey as much more reassuring. In their opinion, it is becoming evident the Italian objectives are Somaliland and Abyssinia, rather than Anatolia. The alarm of the last few days, therefore, is slowly subsiding.

London, April 20—The alarm and uneasiness reported in Turkey over Premier Mussolini's tour of Tripoli and over rumors that an Italian-Greek pact has been drawn up are not shared by officials of the British Government.

All responsible comment regarding Italian affairs is usually accompanied by reservations such as: "It must be remembered Mussolini is an incalculable quantity."

Nevertheless, officials say, it is impossible for the British to believe any Mediterranean power, in giving expression to a new spirit of nationalism, would run the risk of action likely to precipitate serious trouble.

MacMILLAN IS TO LEAD ARCTIC PARTY

Chicago, April 20. — The Field Museum of Natural History has announced an expedition to the Sub-Arctic this Summer, led by Captain Donald B. MacMillan and financed by Frederick H. Rawson, Chicago banker.

WILL DECIDE IF NEW YORK IS TO VOTE ON LIQUOR

GOVERNOR AL SMITH

Albany, N.Y., April 20.—The question of whether New York State shall have a popular referendum next Fall on the prohibition question has been put up to Governor Smith by the Legislature. The Assembly yesterday passed the Karle Bill providing for such a referendum. The measure passed the Senate last week.

NEW INCOME TAX RULES ARE ISSUED

Payers May Estimate Levy Now, Collector Will Refund Surplus

Tentative income tax rules, pending the passing of the budget at Ottawa, have been issued by Ottawa as follows:

Exemption $1,500 for single and $3,000 for married persons, but if husband and wife are each in receipt of separate incomes of $1,500 then, in lieu of other marital exemptions, they shall each receive $1,500.

Five hundred dollars for each child.

These exemptions are taken off before the income is taxed when first $2,000 in excess, or any portion thereof, is taxed at two per cent each $1,000, thereafter at an increasing unit percentage rate of one per cent up to $20,000, on which last $1,000 the rate is twenty per cent, each $5,000 thereafter at a unit increasing rate of percentage up to $100,000.

Corporations nine per cent.

Five per cent additional tax cancelled.

Income of a personal corporation taxed to the individual whether distributed or not.

All changes applicable to the income of 1925.

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CANADIAN DOLLAR INCREASES STRENGTH

At Premium of 11-64 of One Per Cent on New York Exchange Market To-day

$3,000,000 in Gold Sent to Canada From U.S. Metropolis in Two Days

New York, April 20—The gold movement to Canada to equalize the exchange rate between the United States and Canadian dollars continued to-day with a consignment of $2,000,000 by the Bank of Manhattan Company. One million dollars was shipped yesterday by the International Acceptance Bank and Harris, Forbes & Company.

Canadian dollars were at a premium of 11-64 of one per cent here to-day, 1-64 higher than yesterday's quotation.

CHANG TSO-LIN HAS EUROPEAN AS CHIEF AIDE

R. T. Sutton, Officer With War Record, Adviser to Manchurian War Lord

Strategy Displayed is Responsible For Success of Dictator at Mukden

Chang Tso-Lin, Manchurian dictator and Chinese counterpart of Benito Mussolini, has a European as his chief adviser, according to M. M. Berger, prominent importer and exporter of Tientsin, who reached here yesterday from China on board the liner Empress of Russia.

Chang Tso-Lin is the master mind in Chinese military tactics to-day and the success of his operations, in the opinion of Mr. Berger, is largely due to R. T. Sutton, a soldier of fortune who served in the Great War and who is now chief aide to the Manchurian war lord.

Although it is not generally known on this side of the Pacific that a European has been directing the military drives of Chang Tso-Lin, it is no secret in China and especially in Tientsin, where Sutton is a frequent visitor, says Mr. Berger.

ROSE FROM COOLIE RANKS

Chang Tso-Lin, he says, rose to his present eminence from the coolie ranks, but since obtaining control of Manchuria has displayed remarkable organizing genius and by his methods has secured the confidence of a large section of people of northern China.

Mr. Berger is convinced that Chang-Tso Lin wil emerge as one of the most powerful figures in China and may even become dictator of the entire country.

He is said to be rapidly gaining power in the northern territory and is boasting adherents in the South. With the capital virtually isolated the Peking government is impotent. The railway is torn up and wires are down. Tientsin is safe, Mr. Berger says, with about five thousand troops of the Powers garrisoned in the city.

Although there is no real danger to the European in China at the present time, Mr. Berger says the feeling against the foreigner is increasing, and the foreigner to the Oriental means everybody who is not Chinese.

Within a comparatively few years, Mr. Berger is convinced, the European will not be able to trade in China.

VIOLENT ERUPTION OF VOLCANO ENDS

Spectacular Activity of Mauna Loa on Island of Hawaii Dies Down Suddenly

Honolulu, April 20.—Three army aeroplanes returned to Luke Field, here last night after spectacular flights over Mauna Loa late yesterday afternoon, and reported the Kona flow "absolutely dead," and that the Kahuku flow was active only 100 feet from its source.

The two flows of lava originated in a 1,000-foot rift, not craters, a considerable distance above the source of the 1919 outbreak.

The volcano's last gesture was to send a lava flow racing at twenty to twenty-five miles an hour into the sea for several hours yesterday afternoon, just before its activity receded.

FURTHER OUTBREAKS EXPECTED

Dr. T. A. Jaggar, in charge of the Hilo Volcano Observatory, declined to predict what further disturbance might be expected, but he was positive the volcano had not yet completed its present eruptive period.

The aviators said that when they passed over the rift at 3.30 p.m. yesterday it was merely bubbling. They also reported that smoking cracks extend all the way to the summit.

W. DUFF HEARD AT CUSTOMS INQUIRY

Deputy Speaker of Commons Upholds Reputation of Zinck, Officer at Lunenburg

Ottawa, April 20—William Duff, Deputy Speaker of the House of Commons and member for Lunenburg, Nova Scotia, took the witness stand before the Commons customs inquiry committee this forenoon and testified on behalf of Captain J. D. Zinck of Lunenburg.

On Friday last the committee listened to evidence suggesting Capt. Zinck had attempted to defraud the Customs Department out of sums of money, collected from vessels which had put into Lunenburg with liquor cargoes. To-day W. F. Wilson, chief of the preventive service of the Department of Customs, informed the committee he had recommended the dismissal of Capt. Zinck.

"I believe you all understand why I did not take this action before," stated Mr. Wilson. "My opinion from the day of his appointment was that he ought not to have been appointed, and I am still of that opinion. I have on different occasions admonished him for his work. I had no knowledge he was retaining the money he did retain. My impression, though I have never had any knowledge from any source, is that he was appointed on recommendation of the member for Lunenburg."

SALARY INCREASED

"After Zinck had paid to the department the $[illegible] and [illegible] referred to in evidence Friday, his salary was, without my knowledge, on September 10, 1925, increased from $50 to $75 a month. On January 13, 1926, his sa-

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VANCOUVER JAPANESE CONFESSES MURDERS

S. Furukawa Surrenders to Police; Says He Killed His Brother's Wife and Child

Vancouver, April 20.—Twenty-four hours after police had found the lifeless and mutilated bodies of Mrs. Kimi Furukawa and her two-year-old son, Muneo, Soitsu Furukawa, brother-in-law of the woman, at noon to-day walked into police headquarters, gave himself up and was charged with the double murder. An interpreter was immediately secured and the man made a statement, which, police say, will not be divulged until the inquest, which will be held to-morrow afternoon, or at his preliminary hearing to-morrow morning.

NO CONCEALMENT

Sergeants John Deacon and Charles Yorke were on duty in the general office at police headquarters, and were busy on their books when both happened to look up and see a well-dressed Japanese standing at the inquiry space.

Before his business could be asked he said:

"I killed the woman and the baby yesterday."

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Abyssinia is Now Subject of Negotiations

Rome, April 20.—The semi-official Stefani Agency has issued a statement concerning the negotiations between Great Britain and Italy with regard to Abyssinia. The statement is made, it says, to clarify the situation in view of erroneous comments published in some of the British and French newspapers.

"These negotiations," the statement says, "have been for no other reason than to co-ordinate the developing of economic interest of the countries in Ethiopia, eliminating such differences as have existed among those concerned so as to insure in the realization of their interests by friendly collaboration.

"Joint discussion on the subject between Great Britain and Italy have been concerned solely with concessions of an economic character."

PRAIRIE FARMERS START 1926 CROP SEASON WORK IN FAVORABLE CONDITIONS

Winnipeg, April 20—Spring work on the land will be general throughout the prairie provinces this week, a number of points reporting some seeding already done, according to the first seeding reports of the year issued by the Canadian National Railways here to-day. Farm operations are about one week behind last year, but when work gets started generally it will be carried ahead much faster on account of the lack of water lying on the ground. There is, however, sufficient moisture now to insure an early germination and good start for the new crop.

SOME SEEDING DONE

In Manitoba the frost is not yet all out of the ground, though some seeding of the coarse grains and cultivation has been done and a little seeding. A few points in the Brandon district would appreciate a heavy rain. The cold weather of last week retarded Spring work.

In Saskatchewan ploughing and seeding along the northern lines of the C.N.R. was held up last week by unsettled weather conditions and will not be general for a week or ten days. Farmers in the Regina district have been busy preparing their land and expect to be seeding this week. The Saskatoon district reports the rain late last week resulted in a good condition of the land. It is expected work will be general this week.

ALBERTA OUTLOOK

The snow is fast disappearing from the land in the Edmonton district and the farmers are hoping to be busy on the land this week. There appears to be an abundance of moisture throughout the region. The Calgary district reports more moisture than Edmonton, and some ploughing has been done. Preparation is being made for increased acreage in the Stettler district. Expectations are that seeding will be general this week throughout the province.

KYRA FIRST HORSE IN METROPOLITAN

Spithead Second in Race To-day at Epsom, England, and Onyx Third

Epsom, Eng., April 20 (Canadian Press cable)—Kyra, at 10 to 1 against, won with ease the great Metropolitan handicap here this afternoon, finishing five lengths in front of Spithead, at 100 to 7 against. Onyx was third by a half length, starting at 100 to 7 against. Fifteen ran.

Kyra, a bay filly by Polymelus out of Maid of the Yale, is five years old and is owned and was trained by Captain Cooch of Newmarket. She carried 103 pounds, as compared with Spithead's 126 and Onyx's 111. She is

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EARLY PEACE IN MOROCCO

Paris, April 20.—At the conclusion of a Cabinet meeting to-day Premier Briand declared he had the impression the negotiations in Morocco would be rapidly terminated.

MEXICO HAS NEW IMMIGRATION LAW

Measure Goes Into Force; All Incoming Aliens Are to be Registered

Mexico City, April 20—The new immigration law is published to-day in Diario Oficial, thereby becoming effective.

The law requires a tax from all incoming aliens and registration of all aliens. It prohibits the entrance of aliens pursuing a calling forbidden in Mexico, which may be applied by ministers of the gospel. The executive is authorized to decide upon the admissibility of aliens. This means that he can refuse admission to any person.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

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Lecture by Mrs. Adams Beck on "Murnahal, an Indian Empress" on Wednesday, April 21, at St. Mary's Hall, Oak Bay, 3 p.m. Admission 50c; tea 25c. ***

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POLICE CONTINUE ACTIVE CAMPAIGN ON BOOTLEGGERS

Stock Seized in Raid on Northern Hotel; Court Fine Follows

Caught in the campaign against bootleggers in Victoria being waged by the City police M. McCabe was charged with keeping liquor for sale at a place known as the Northern Hotel, Yates Street, in the City Police Court this morning. He pleaded guilty and was fined $500. His store of liquor, consisting of many bottle of beer, ale and stout, whisky, gin, rum, vermouthe and all the appurtenances of a modern bootlegger's establishment were displayed in court. The liquor was ordered confiscated. Stuart Henderson appeared for defendant.

Originally three persons had been named by the police as being implicated in the Northern Hotel charge, following Sergeant Heatley's raid on that place on April 12. But the charges against Seth Chamberlain and J. B. Sharp were dropped to-day.

"I am withdrawing the charge against these other two," said City Prosecutor C. L. Harrison to-day, when opening proceedings against McCabe.

Sergeant Heately called to the stand to testify said that he raided the Northern Hotel on April 12 in company with Constable P. Woodburn. He had found McCabe there serving liquor to several persons in the different rooms.

Three persons found in the rooms were charged with drinking liquor other than in a private guest room, and were each fined $50.

Sergeant Heatley ennumerated the bottled goods taken from the Northern Hotel. They were all of high quality, and varied in assortment from beer to rum. There were cases of soda water in siphons, cases of ginger beer, mixing glasses, cocktail shakers, mugs and noggins. They were placed in charge of the police to be put under lock and key and eventually to be destroyed.

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RAILWAY RATES ON GRAIN DISCUSSED

Commons Debates Charges From Prairie to Eastern Canadian Ports

Ottawa, April 20.—The question of railway freight rates on grain from the head of the Great Lakes to Eastern Canadian ports came up unexpectedly in the House yesterday afternoon. Milton N. Campbell, Progressive, Mackenzie, Sask., moved that the rate basis from Fort William and Armstrong, respectively, should be the same as those from prairie points to those points.

There was a five-hour discussion during which the new Minister of Railways, Hon. C. A. Dunning, expressed willingness to have the subject referred to the House railway committee, but did not think there was much to be gained by such a committee passing on the matter while it was under review by the Board of Railway Commissioners.

Finally the debate was adjourned just before midnight by Thomas McMillan, Liberal, South Huron, Ont. It is not likely the House will get around to the motion again this session unless it is given precedence by common consent.

PURPOSE OF CONSTRUCTION

The resolution took the stand that the Transcontinental Railway, now a part of the Canadian National system, had been constructed to carry the products of Western Canada over Canadian railways to Canadian ports, but had been prevented from doing so because of high freight rates. Conservative members from the Maritime Provinces supported it strongly, as did several Liberal members. There was no actual opposition.

CALLED AN INJUSTICE

Mr. Campbell declared the prevailing rates from Armstrong, north of Fort William and Port Arthur, to the port of Quebec were working an injustice to one of Canada's greatest industries. He believed a fair rate from Armstrong to Quebec on grain would be eleven cents. Under present conditions the only time grain was shipped through to Quebec was at the close of navigation or when congestion existed at the head of the lakes.

J. K. Fleming, Conservative, Carleton-Victoria, New Brunswick, said the question should be considered with a view to establishing a sound, sane, Canadian policy.

Hon. Charles Marcil, Liberal, Bonaventure, Quebec, said that while Canada's relations with the United States were friendly, it was essential that the interests of the Dominion and Canadian cities should be given first consideration. The eastern ports of Quebec, St. John and Halifax should be properly developed.

STEVENS'S OPINION

Hon. H. H. Stevens, Conservative, Vancouver Centre, said he had always been opposed to the principle of Parliament undertaking to fix freight rates. Parliament should be concerned only with determining the main principles for the fixing, and not with the actual rates.

He moved an amendment to the resolution by which the following words would be added: "And that the same principle be applied in fixing rates on freight between prairie points and the Pacific Coast."

J. A. Clark, Conservative, Vancouver-Burrard, said he strongly supported the amendment moved by Mr. Stevens.

Hon. Lucien Cannon, Solicitor-General, stated the matter was before the Railway Board, and no doubt full justice would be done.

On behalf of the Government, Mr. Dunning said there was no objection to having the whole matter referred to a committee except that there would be a duplication of the work already under way in the Railway Commission's offices. He reviewed the factors which entered into grain routing, and pointed out the shippers of grain were influenced by many considerations in routing their grain.

CAHAN'S ATTITUDE

He clashed sharply with C. H. Cahan, Conservative, St. Lawrence-St. George, Montreal. He had understood Mr. Cahan to say earlier in the debate that Sir Henry Thornton was using his influence to route freight over United States connections of the Canadian National Railways to United States ports.

Mr. Cahan denied he had made that suggestion, or that he had quoted anybody as having said so. He had heard the suggestion made in the House, and what he meant to say was that Thornton was not using his influence as president of the Canadian National Railways to get the fullest amount of freight sent over Canadian lines to Canadian ports.

"It is percolating into even my dull brain that that is part of what he meant to say," replied Mr. Dunning. "But he also said a great deal more than that. However, Hansard will show to-morrow."

HANSARD REPORT

Hansard reports Mr. Cahan as having said:

"I am persuaded that if the Canadian National Railways management really desires to encourage trade east and west, if they really desire as Sir Henry Thornton said, to build up trade through Canadian ports, that company, without using any undue influence at all, could direct the greater part of that trade to the Canadian ports of Halifax and St. John during the Winter months. I have made all sorts of inquiries, and I am not yet able to convince myself that the shipment of the bulk of traffic tonnage by American ports is not due to the fact that the Canadian National Railways and its officials are using all the influence which they can control to direct that trade to Portland and other American ports."

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Macaulay Pt. Golf Club Championship Reaches the "Semis"

Macaulay Point golfers covered a great deal of ground over the week-end in their club championship and the semi-finals were reached. J. A. Montgomery, the present champion; A. Christopher, H. Collings and J. Clark will play to determine which two will enter the final.

The results of the play over the week-end were as follows:

First Round, Championship Flight
J. Clark won from F. Slydell, 1 up.
G. R. Florence won from J. A. Davidson, 1 up.
A. Youngman won from T. Angus, nineteenth hole.
H. Collings won from D. Fyvie, 6 and 4.
J. A. Montgomery won from C. Swayne, 3 and 2.
G. Jones won from J. G. Smart, 5 and 4.
A. Christopher won from D. A. Matthew, 7 and 6.
W. S. Morris won from J. Burns, 2 up.

Second Round, Championship Flight
J. Clark won from G. R. Florence, 6 and 5.
H. Collings won from A. Youngman, 4 and 3.
J. A. Montgomery won from G. Jones, 4 and 2.
A. Christopher won from W. S. Morris, 3 and 1.

First Round, First Flight
F. Slydell won from G. R. Florence, 6 and 5.
D. Fyvie won from T. Angus, 4 and 3.
C. Swayne won from J. G. Smart, 5 and 4.
D. A. Matthew won from J. Burns, 2 up.

First Round, Second Flight
D. Fraser won from I. G. Truder, 2 up.
A. E. Ashe won from J. Mathews, 2 up.
J. Hay won from C. E. Slingsby, 5 and 4.
Capt. A. A. Warder won from R. Clarkson by default.

Second Round, Second Flight
A. E. Ashe won from D. Fraser, 4 and 3.
Capt. A. Warder won from J. Hay, 4 and 2.

First Round, Third Flight
Major J. G. Smith won from A. Roberts, 7 and 6.
W. B. Christopher won from A. G. Fulmer, 4 and 3.
J. T. Jones won from W. J. Moffatt, 6 and 5.
V. M. Gallon won from T. Mayne, 4 and 3.

Second Round, Third Flight
Major J. G. Smith won from W. B. Christopher, 5 and 4.
J. T. Jones won from V. M. Gallon, 3 and 2.

First Round, Fourth Flight
A. Lable won from G. F. Mackenzie, 2 up.
F. Barber-Starkey won from Capt. H. L. Roberts, 4 and 3.
Major W. Rowson won from S. J. Chiverall, 6 and 5.
Lieut. V. S. Godfrey won from F. Hobson, 3 and 2.

Second Round, Fourth Flight
A. Lable won from F. Barber-Starkey, 2 and 1.
Lieut. V. S. Godfrey won from Major W. Rowson, 3 and 2.

Final, Fourth Flight
Lieut. V. S. Godfrey beat A. Lable, 3 and 1.

First Round, Fifth Flight
G. Murrell won from J. Kent-Fawkes by default.
M. H. Hurley won from H. Wilders, 9 and 7.
J. T. Marshall won from H. P. Rutter, 7 and 6.
H. Stevens won from R. Thistle, 1 up.

Second Round, Fifth Flight
M. H. Hurley won from G. Murrell, 6 and 5.
J. T. Marshall won from H. Stevens, 4 and 2.

Canadian Davis Cup Team Must Play in Cuba This Season

Montreal, April 20.—President John M. Miller of the Province of Quebec Lawn Tennis Association and eastern vice-president of the Dominion body, yesterday announced that he had received a communication from President G. H. Meldrum of the Canadian Lawn Tennis Association, from Toronto, in which it was said that the first round Davis Cup tie, between Canada and Cuba, would be played in the latter country this year.

The dates for the play have not been announced as yet, but the match will be settled some time in July or early in August.

So far Willard Crocker and Jack Wright are the only two named for Canada's team but two others will likely be added as substitutes.

"You see that man with the high forehead and the sunken eyes?"

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"He's an efficiency expert, he told me."

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MOTORISTS ASKED TO PROTECT ROADS WHEN NEWLY OILED

Drivers Requested to Drive Slowly on Highways After Surface Treatment

Big Oiling Programme to Start To-morrow; Adequate Detours Are Arranged

When oiling of the Island Highway and adjoining highways, gets under way to-morrow, Island motorists will be requested by the Public Works Department to co-operate in protecting the newly-surfaced road. During the first week after roads have been oiled cars should travel over them cautiously and slowly, officials of the Department stated to-day. This prevents the breaking of the oiled surface, while it is still soft and the permanent damaging of the roads for the whole Summer season.

When the oiling programme starts detours will be arranged around those parts actually being surfaced. The roads to be oiled first are:

The Sooke Road from Colwood Junction to the Goldstream Cross Road.

The Happy Valley Road from Luxton to Barkers Mill.

The Metchosin Road from Colwood Junction to Millbank Hill.

The Colwood Road from Parsons Bridge to Colwood Junction.

Having completed this programme in the vicinity of Colwood, the road gangs will be moved to Langford to treat the Island Highway to the Summit. This portion of the highway has been oiled twice before and requires treatment only to patch up holes that have developed in the road surface. From the Summit on to Duncan it will be treated more adequately.

Victoria Chapter No. 17 O.E.S.

Officers, members and visitors of Victoria Chapter are requested to meet at the Temple Hall at 1 p.m. on Wednesday, 21st inst., for the purpose of attending the funeral of our late sister, Emily Rebecca Rowson.

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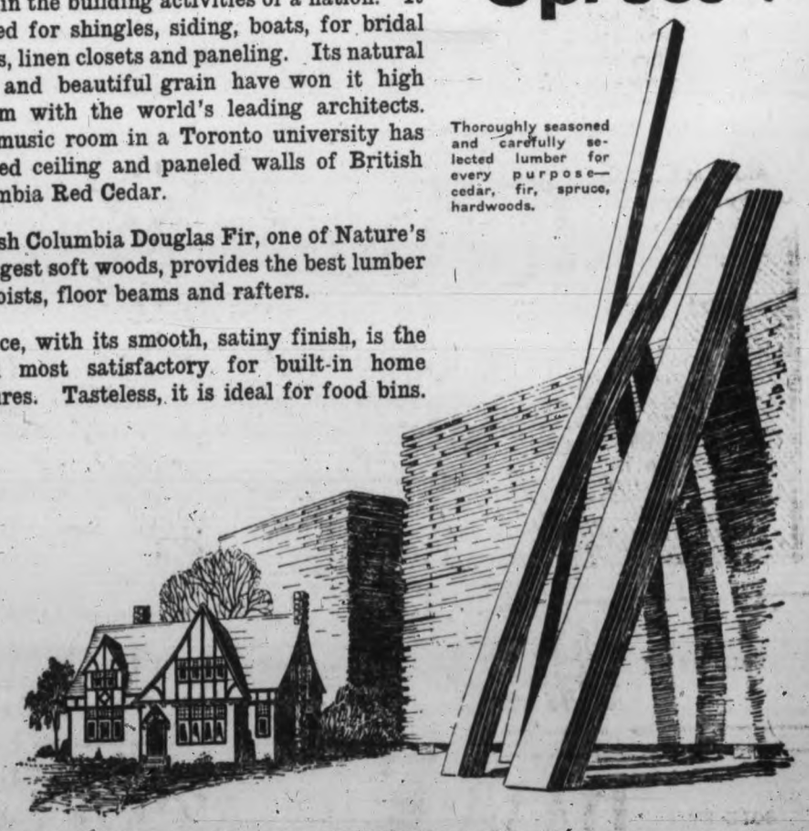

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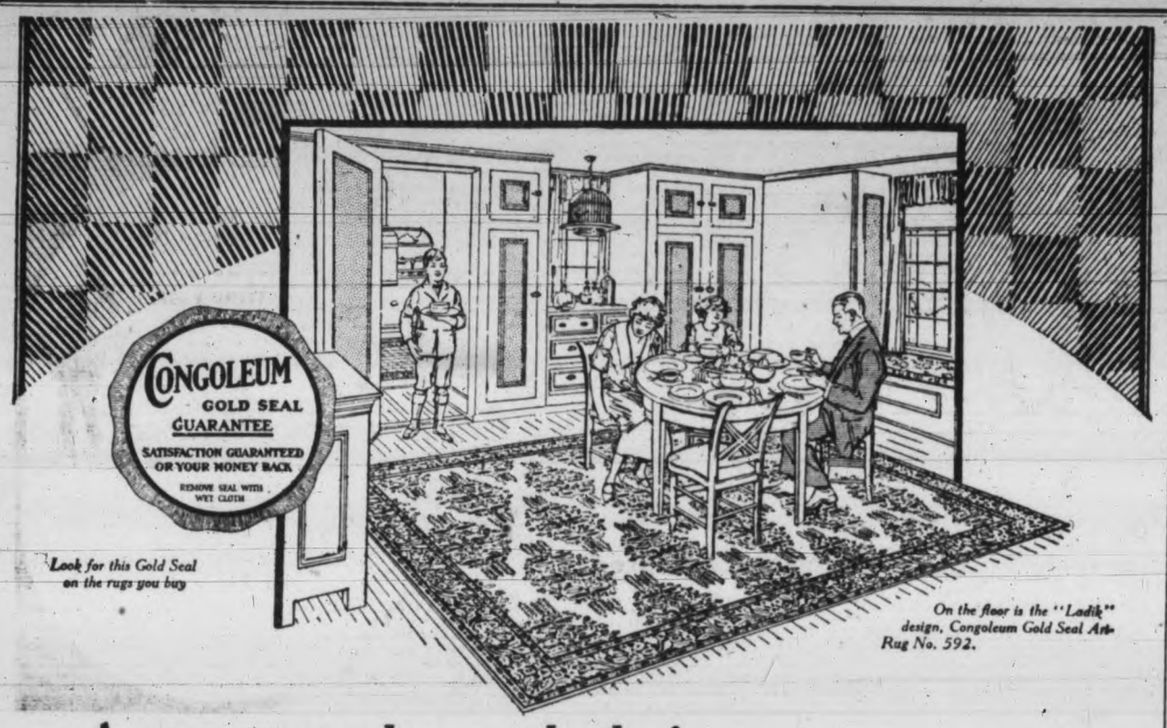
LOSE THEIR APPEAL

Toronto, April 20.—The appeal of Home Bank shareholders from the decision of Charles Garrow, K.C., master of the Supreme Court of Ontario, who held them liable under the double liability clause of the Bank Act, came before Mr. Justice Middleton and was formally dismissed yesterday with costs, without prejudice to any order which the master might take as to costs under the statute.

Mr. Justice Middleton held he was bound by decisions in other cases, and it was idle for him to waste time by hearing argument. As to costs, he did not know of any authority under which he should make the creditors pay the costs of the debtors.



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RESCUERS ARE NEAR ENTRAPPED MINERS

Calls For Help Heard in Tunnel in California; Six Men Imprisoned

Sixty Miners Work at High Speed to Release Fellow Workmen

San Francisco, April 20.—R. C. Storrie and Company, contractors for the Bucks Creek Tunnel in Plumas County, where six men are entombed, received word over the long distance telephone to-day that one or more of the men could be heard calling for help through the air line.

The calls could not be distinguished clearly, but there was no doubt they were human voices. The rescuers had but ten feet to go when the message was sent, and there were hopes all of the entombed men would be found alive.

The rescuers succeeded in getting the airline through last night.

The men were entombed by a slide Saturday night.

Sixty miners worked at top speed throughout the night to release the men.

KYRA FIRST HORSE IN METROPOLITAN

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an ex-selling plater. Spithead is an aged gelding owned by Lord Derby and Onyx is an aged horse owned by M. Henriquet.

EIGHTY YEARS OLD

The Great Metropolitan, first long race in the flat racing season in this country, was run over the 2¼-mile course and was the feature of the first of the two-day Epsom first Spring meeting. To-day marked the eightieth year of its running. The race is one of the great Spring handicaps and with the City and Suburban, is one of the most popular "doubles" of the turf.

The City and Suburban will be run to-morrow.

ARMS LIMITATION SUPPORT DECLARED

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ference, "particularly as there is danger the competitive construction which formerly existed, particularly with respect to capital ships, may still be continued, in a less aggravated form it is true, with respect to cruisers and other types of naval craft not dealt with by the Washington Treaty."

Retail Market

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Vegetables	
Celery, stick	.20
Local Potatoes, 9 lbs.	.25
Mint	.05
Carrots, 15 lbs.	.25
Spinach, 3 lbs.	.25
New Local Potatoes, per lb.	.35
Netted Gem Potatoes	2.75
Local Potatoes	3.75
Green Peas, lb.	.25
Asparagus, lb.	.25
Tomatoes, lb.	.25
Fruit	
Apples—	
Local Apples, 4 lbs. for	.25
Jonathan, 3 lbs. for	.25
Delicious	.10
Newton Pippin, 3 lbs. for	.25
Spitzenberg, 3 lbs. for	.25
Bananas, doz.	.60
Lemons, Cal., doz.	.20, .30
Grapefruit, California, 3 for	.25
New Navel Oranges, doz.	.50, .40, .30
Florida Grapefruit	.20
Rhubarb, fresh, lb.	.10
Dates, 2 lbs.	.25
Smyrna Figs	.50, .40 and .35
Nuts	
Almonds, per lb.	.35
Walnuts, per lb.	.35
California Soft Shell Walnuts, lb.	.45
Brazils, new, per lb.	.30
Rhubarb, fresh, lb.	.05
Roasted Peanuts, per lb.	.15
Chestnuts, lb.	.30
Dairy Produce and Eggs	
Butter—	
Best Alberta cartons	.45
Comox, lb.	.42
V.I.M.P.A.	.50
Cowichan Creamery, lb.	.50
Salt Spring Island, lb.	.50
Pure Lard, lb.	.24
Eggs—	
B.C. fresh, extras	.31
B.C. fresh, firsts	.28
Cheese	
B.C. Cream Cheese, lb.	.45
B.C. Solids, lb.	.35
Finest Ontario Mild, per lb.	.30
Finest Ontario Matured, per lb.	.40
Edam Dutch Cheese, per lb.	.45
Gouda Cheese, per lb.	.45
Gorgonzola, per lb.	.65
Swiss Gruyere, in portions, box	.55
English Stilton, jar	.90
English Stilton, lb.	.85
Canadian Stilton, lb.	.40
Imported Roquefort, per lb.	.65
Swiss Gruyere, box	.55
Eagle Brand Camembert, box	.55
Circle Brand Breakfast Cheese, two packages	.75
Fish	
Bloaters, 2 lbs.	.25
Cod Fillets, per lb.	.20
Fresh Halibut, per lb.	.27
Soles, lb.	.15
Black Cod, fresh, per lb.	.15
Skate, per lb.	.12½
Cod, per lb.	.15
Kippers, per lb.	.15
Finnan Haddies, per lb.	.20
Smoker Black Cod, per lb.	.25
Whiting	.15
Red Spring Salmon, per lb.	.30
White Spring Salmon, per lb.	.20
Smoked Salmon, per lb.	.40
Shell Fish	
Crabs	.15, .20 to .25
Shrimps, per lb.	.35
Esquimalt Oysters, per dozen	.65
Olympia Oysters, per pint	.90
Fresh Meats	
Pork—	
Trimmed loins, per lb.	.40
Legs, per lb.	.33
Shoulder roasts, per lb.	.27
Pork Sausages, per lb.	.27
No. 1 Beef—	
Sirloin Steak, per lb.	.35
Round Steak, per lb.	.25
Pot roasts, per lb.	.12 and .15
Rump Roasts, per lb.	.25
Lamb—	
Shoulders, per lb.	.28
Legs, per lb.	.42
Loins, full, per lb.	.42
Prime Mutton—	
Shoulders, per lb.	.24
Legs, per lb.	.35
Loins, full, per lb.	.32
Rabbits, local, per lb.	.25
Flour	
Flour, all standard brands, 49s	2.45
Flour, pastory, 49s	2.30

Feed	Per ton	Per sack
Wheat, No. 1	$54.00	$2.80
Wheat, No. 2	54.00	2.80
Scratch	52.00	2.70
Whole Barley	40.00	2.10
Whole Corn	50.00	2.60
Cracked Corn	52.00	2.70
Feed Cornmeal	52.00	2.70
Whole Oats	40.00	2.10
Shorts	37.00	1.95
Bran	35.00	1.85
Grd. Oats	42.00	2.20
Cr. Oats	42.00	2.20

Wholesale Market

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Meats	
No. 1 Steer Beef	.14½
Cow Beef	.13
Veal	.14 to .22
Lamb	.30
Mutton	.22
Hogs	.32
Eggs	
Fresh, extras, case lots, dozen	.29
Fresh, firsts, case lots, dozen	.27
Fresh pullets, case lots, dozen	.25
Butter	
Best cartons	.43
No. 2 grade, prints	.40
Dairy solids	.36
Cheese	
Ontario solids, lb.	.24
Ontario solids, Sept.	.28
Ontario twins, lb.	.23½
Ontario triplets, lb.	.29
Ontario Siltons, lb.	.32½
Lard	
Tierces, per lb.	.20
Compound, tierces, lb.	.17
Vegetables	
Cabbage, per lb.	.05 and .06½
Onions, Okanagan, per sack	1.75
Onions, Spanish, per crate	4.25
Potatoes, dry belt, per sack	3.00 and 3.25
Carrots, per sack	M.P.
Turnips, per sack	M.P.
Parsnips, per sack	M.P.
Fruits	
Apples, Okanagan, per box	1.75 to 3.25
Apples, local, per box	1.25 to 2.00
Bananas, per lb.	.10 and .11
Cranberries, price per pound varies according to size and quality, per lb.	.10 to .14
Grapefruit, Calif., per case	4.75 to 6.25
Grapefruit, Florida, case	7.75 to 8.75
Lemons, per case	4.50 to 6.00
Navels, according to size, per case	4.25 to 5.75
Hams and Bacon	
Hams	.36 to .38
Bacon	.42 to .49

SIR JAMES ELDER ADDRESSED CLUB

Tells Vancouver Gathering of Conditions in Australia

Vancouver, April 19.—"All wealth comes from the land in some form or other, so what benefits the producer, benefits the general public. City folk perhaps do not care for the rain to-day, but it is a great blessing to the man on the land, therefore a blessing to you all." These were the words of Sir James Elder, K.B.E., Australian Trade Commissioner to the United States, and president of the Australian section of the Wembley Exhibition, England.

Sir James had previously addressed a gathering of the Canadian Club, while the Women's Canadian Club entertained in honor of Lady Elder, where she was joined by her husband. The speaker was introduced by Mrs. W. A. Clark and after extending greetings remarked that after remaining in the United States he "could never face Australia again if he had not visited Western Canada."

"Vancouver is destined to become a great city," said Sir James.

Continuing, Sir James said that although he had heard so much and read so much about British Columbia, he was amazed to find a country so wonderfully endowed with resources, climatic conditions and beautiful scenery. He compared it with the Eastern part of the United States and with the East of Canada, stating that he found more of the British type of persons in the West.

"Here, he said I am thrilled to be once again under the Union Jack, and to hear the National Anthem sung as you have sung it to-day."

"We in Australia are proud to be with you as part of the greatest Empire the world has ever known." Telling several amusing stories Sir James Elder outlined briefly the history of Australia, saying that Dutch sailors "passed it up" in the sixteenth century, and that great Britain sent out Capt. Jas. Cook in 1770, who made the discovery, and it became a British colony in 1788, when the British flag was hoisted over Sydney.

Sir James told of the climatic conditions of Australia, stating that these were so favorable that the health conditions were greatly aided. Strict immigration laws, factory laws and health laws had so materially benefited the people that they had reached a higher standard than any other race, and to-day statistics showed that the citizens actually lived nine years longer than they did fourteen years ago.

REAL PATRIOTISM

Throughout his address Sir James struck a note of high and sincere patriotism.

"We are a very British people," he said, "exactly ninety-eight per cent. of our population is white, one per cent. aborigines and one per cent. foreign. That is why we have our labor troubles—we are so very British—but the strikes are decreasing now to a great extent," said the speaker.

Sir James made reference to the great labor parliaments of Australia, stating that without exception they were all conservative. "There is no anti-national or anti-British feeling," he said. "Labor got into power when war was declared, and pledged its every last man to the Empire, but there was no conscription.

"Each man traveled over 12,000 miles across the sea as a volunteer."

In conclusion Sir James explained the need for the compulsory voting act, which had been brought into force, and paid a high tribute to Canadians, whom, he said, during the time when the Empire was in need had shown that great brotherhood to men from other parts of the Empire.

"This is the spirit," he said, "which rejuvenates the Empire, and which has done so much for humanity."

On behalf of the members of the Women's Canadian Club, Mrs. W. A. Clark presented Lady Elder with a sheaf of rose tulips and mauve iris. During an interval, Miss Ann Lochead rendered solos, accompanied by Mme. Enid Stuart.

VICTORIA IS IN EXCELLENT SHAPE COMPTROLLER SAYS

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charges on debt will take 48 cents of the civic dollar, still the heaviest factor in the city budget. Schools will draw up to about 30 cents on the dollar, leaving little over 22 cents with which the city carries on its work and keeps up its services.

With school costs a steady factor and debt charges dropping annually the financial status of the city is said to be in a very favorable position, especially in regard to the years that lie ahead.

As well as the reduction in the mill rate and assessments, the tax rate by-law is notable this year for the chance in the due date of tax collection. Last year citizens had up to the end of October to pay their bills. This year the due date is in the middle of October; with a four per cent. addition to accounts made on October 16, and the usual full penalty of eight per cent. after December 31.

The percentage of collection of the levy was 86 per cent. last year, and is expected to reach close to 88 per cent. this year, a high watermark in the city's books.

BUTTER FROM AUSTRALIA SOLD IN ONTARIO

Stratford, Ont., April 20. — Large shipments of Australian butter which arrived in Canada recently by way of the United States were responsible for the recent reduction in the price of butter in Stratford and elsewhere in Canada, it is stated here.

FEDERAL LEGISLATION

Ottawa, April 20.—"It is not possible to indicate at the present time what further legislation will be introduced at the present session," was the answer given yesterday afternoon to a question in the House of Commons. Finlay McDonald, Conservative, Cape Breton South, had asked if the Government would reintroduce this session the bill prepared last year "to encourage the production of domestic fuel from coal mined in Canada."

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TELEPHONE RATES ARGUED AT HEARING

Ottawa, April 20—The hearing of the application of the Bell Telephone Company for increased local rates in Ontario and Quebec will be proceeded with before the Board of Railway Commissioners. The decision to hear the case was reached only late yesterday.

Throughout the session, counsel for the city of Toronto and counsel for Montreal protested against going on with the case at the present time. The telephone company, they claimed, was withholding information to which they were [illegible] and which was essential to their case.

MISSING MAN RETURNS

Charlevoix, Mich., April 20—Captain J. F. Donnellan of Chicago, an airplane pilot, missing since Thursday noon, returned to Cross Village yesterday after traveling forty miles over the ice with a dogteam since 2 o'clock Monday morning.

Alberta Liberals to Have New Leader

Calgary, April 20.—After much pressure from local and provincial Liberals, J. T. Shaw last night announced his decision to become a candidate for the leadership of the Liberal Party in Alberta. Mr. Shaw was Independent member for West Calgary in the last Parliament of Canada and was defeated in the recent general election.

The vacancy in the provincial party was caused by the elevation of Mr. Mitchell to the bench.

NEWSPAPER CHANGE

Toronto, April 20.—John W. Bedy, publisher of The St. Mary's Journal-Argus for the last thirty-one years, announces that in future the paper will be conducted by his son, Lorne Alden Bedy, former publisher of The Walkerton Telescope.

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BLIND FIGHTING

ONE STRIKING EXAMPLE OF THE wish being father to the thought can be detected in a recent editorial observation of The Toronto Mail and Empire in connection with the political situation at Ottawa. This declared with amazing certainty that the feeling of a majority of the Canadian voters against the King Government is still at the boiling point and that Conservative members of the House of Commons "have the confidence and best wishes of the majority of Canadians." But The Toronto Star disillusions its contemporary in the most heartless fashion and reminds it of the results of recent by-elections as follows:

Three ridings, two in Saskatchewan and one in Ontario, have had an opportunity of passing upon the Liberal-Progressive rapproachement and Mr. King's cabinet adjustments. In Prince Albert the government candidate won the by-election, according to unrevised returns, by a majority of 5,901 votes, although in the general election, in a three-cornered contest, the Liberal had only 251 majority. In the West Middlesex by-election the government candidate won by a clear majority of 2,681; he was in a minority of 1,444 in the three-cornered general election fight. In other words, the voters in those two ridings, who split into three groups last Fall, and gave the government candidates 1,213 less than half the total number of votes cast, got together, when faced with the possibility of a Meighen administration, and gave the government candidates in the by-elections a clear majority of 8,582, a gain of 9,795 votes.

It is well remembered, of course, that Regina Conservatives thought much better of their original suggestion that Mr. Dunning be opposed on his elevation to the Federal field as Minister of Railways and Canals. It is also worth recalling that the cause of the provincial Conservatives in Saskatchewan has fallen into such a hopeless condition that its leader, Dr. Anderson, recently found it desirable to resign that position. Nor is it any wonder that he should desire to do so in view of the overwhelmingly Liberal complexion of the provincial Legislature—a condition which has existed under the three Premierships of Scott, Martin and Dunning, and bids fair to continue under Mr. Gardiner.

The Toronto Star, however, does not let The Mail and Empire off with a recital of what happened at the recent by-elections. It goes to the root of Conservative discontent and suggests to its contemporary that the followers of Mr. Meighen in the House of Commons have grown more or less fed up with the kind of leadership they have been getting and are now disposed "to tolerate more philosophically the existence of the King regime."

There is obviously a time to fight and a time to call a halt. The Mail and Empire does not recognize this maxim. It is impatient and ready to fight blindly. Mr. Meighen is similarly disposed. He has never really recovered from his defeat in 1921. How that affected him was seen in the want of confidence motion which he moved almost before the seats had been warmed in the House of Commons by that Parliament. From the opening of the present session he has been even more restless. But his "blind fighting" will get him nowhere. It will not even persuade Conservative M.P.'s that the country is "boiling."

GIVING US MORE BUSINESS

TO GIVE EMPIRE DAY MORE POINT in Great Britain this year many of the larger cities have undertaken to arrange for Empire shopping weeks during the month of May. May 24 is also to be more generally celebrated than ever before, widespread plans already having been prepared for Empire meetings, concerts, fairs, fetes, and pageants up and down the country.

This is a healthy sign of more interest in the Dominions and what the Dominions produce. The seal educational work along these lines was commenced at Wembley and the millions who visited the Canadian Pavilion there were able to learn something of the capacity of the Empire to furnish much that the Old Country housewife requires. Several shopping weeks since then, not to mention references to the subject of inter-Empire trade in the House of Commons on numerous occasions, have helped to keep the idea before the country.

There is undoubtedly a growing desire in Britain to deal more with the Empire. In fact the people over there seem to have adopted a sort of shamefaced attitude, a feeling that they have neglected the Dominions and have been found out, and they are anxious to prove that they will repair the damage as much as possible. How this has been going on during the last twelve months is shown by an increase in our sales to Britain of more than $110,000,000 in value. But the buying public is the same everywhere. Price always counts heavily.

THE OIL BOOM

IF THE ALBERTA GOVERNMENT CAN do anything to avoid it, as little good money as possible will go into unproductive oil wells in that Province. The Brownlee Ministry is already beginning to get uneasy over the large number of concerns now selling oil stock in the cities of Edmonton and Calgary. It is examining the various methods which it may employ to punish those operators who are found "sailing too near the wind" and has just reached a decision to send one or two secret investigators to make private inquiries into the activities of some of these concerns. In the meantime copies of newspapers have been sent to the Government at Ottawa by Premier Brownlee to impress the authorities there with the need for "blue sky" legislation to apply to companies holding Dominion charters. These journals are full of oil "news" and denote the nature of the excitement which is at present prevailing.

It will be well for the public who may feel inclined to take a little flutter in Alberta oil to look carefully into the inducements that are held out to them. It has already been proved that there is oil, no doubt in commercial quantities, in some of the Alberta fields adjacent to the known producers that are controlled by operators of international repute; but it should always be remembered that where new areas are being tapped there is no guarantee that because oil flows from the well Mr. Smith has sunk Mr. Jones will be rewarded in the same manner. The great oil corporations spend millions of dollars every year on the best geological experts obtainable, and it is fairly safe to assume, in a general way, that there is very little of this liquid wealth that escapes their notice. The Alberta boom may be a case in point. Then again it may not. Hence investors should be careful.

OUR NEIGHBOR INTERESTED

UNITED STATES NEWSPAPER COMment on The Dominion Government's budget makes much of the fact that to all intents and purposes the Canadian taxpayer is now virtually on a par with the American taxpayer. This is shown by the comparative scale. The exemption for single persons in this country and across the border is the same—$1,500. For married persons without dependents it is now $3,000 in Canada and $3,500 in the United States. The exemption for children and dependents in the republic is $400 as against $500 in the Dominion.

The concessions in this respect, together with the very large reduction in the scale of charges announced by Mr. Robb, will be welcome news to those Canadians resident in the United States who are on the point of returning. They will interpret them as an accurate sign of the prosperous conditions which obtain throughout the Dominion and waste no time in getting back. It is also to be expected that the lower charges which will now go into effect will considerably stimulate the movement of Americans to Canada.

WHAT OTHER PAPERS SAY

THE BUDGET

From The Vancouver Province

The budget presented in the House of Commons the other day by Hon. J. A. Robb would seem to indicate that the Minister of Finance has been studying The Province to some purpose. At any rate, he has put into effect several of the reforms which this newspaper has been pressing upon the Government for months. The budget is a good one, business-like, cheering and hopeful, and—what is not unimportant to the Government—politically valuable. Mr. Robb is to be congratulated both upon the circumstances which have enabled him to make so satisfactory a statement and upon his courage in taking advantage of them. Altogether, it is the best thing this Government has yet done.

Among post-war budgets, the one presented yesterday is notable for several reasons. It shows a country swinging upward on a wave of prosperity. It shows increasing trade and buoyant revenues. It indicates an honest and successful effort to meet and clear off a portion of our accumulated obligations, and it gives evidence, on the part of the Government, of a desire to meet the wishes of the Canadian people for reduced taxation.

Our debt is still very large, and no great reduction has been made in it. But at least we are nibbling at the heap and that is decidedly more satisfactory than adding to it.

The reductions in taxation are decidedly more drastic and diverse than most of our citizens had dared to look for. The income tax is lowered to a point where it can not be regarded as really burdensome any longer. It is not yet as low as in the United States, but the cut is more substantial than any the American Government has seen fit to make at one time. The scale is a little higher than prevails across the line and the exemptions are not quite as great, but so far at least as the smaller incomes are concerned, the difference is not serious. The result should be both to attract capital from the outside and to make it easier for our own people to accumulate capital reserves.

WORDS OF WISE MEN

Better to hunt in fields for health unbought,
Than fee the doctor for a nauseous draught.
The wise for cure on exercise depend;
God never made his work for man to mend.
—Dryden.

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Banished the doctor, and expell'd the friend.
—Pope.

+ + +

Physicians, of all men, are most happy; whatever good success soever they have, the world proclaimeth; and what faults they commit the earth covereth.
—Quarles.

+ + +

Dispatch is the soul of business.
—Earl of Chesterfield.

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There is no better ballast for keeping the mind steady on its keel, and saving it from all risk of crankiness, than business.
—Lowell.

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No mortal things can bear so high a price,
But that with mortal thing it may be bought.
—Sir Walter Raleigh.

+ + +

I venerate the man whose heart is warm,
Whose hands are pure, whose doctrine and whose life,
Coincident, exhibit lucid proof
That he is honest in the sacred cause.
—Cowper.

+ + +

It is a good divine that follows his own instructions; I can easier teach twenty what were good to be done, than be one of the twenty to follow mine own teaching.
—Shakespeare.

+ + +

We must never assume that which is incapable of proof.
Geo. Henry Lewes.

Health and Disease

SWIMMING

Swimming has one charm which walking does not have. The body is free for action in any position, and in deep water there are no bumps, so deep water offers more fun. Water sports give greater confidence; they permit greater self-expression; they permit clean, fine, wholesome exercise.

To play in the water is as natural to normal young people as to play on land. Those of us in British Columbia, who live by the sea, spend much of our time in the water. To learn to swim is as easy as to learn to walk. It is just as important that those who are going to play in water should know how to take care of themslves when there, as it is that they should know how to take care of themselves when they play in the streets, the highways, or the woods. Those who do not know how to do so get into trouble and get others into trouble. Sometimes they lose their lives needlessly.

The person who knows how to swim needs to know how to save people who are drowning, for the swimmer plunges to the rescue of the one who is drawning and sometimes is caught in the grip of the latter and both are lost.

There are a few common-sense precautions which should be taken even by expert swimmers before venturing into deep water.

1. It is dangerous to go into the water soon after eating a hearty meal. The cooling of the body causes a disturbance of the blood flow and abdominal cramps follow. These cause more deaths than cramps of the legs or other muscles.

2. It is well to rub the body with cold water with the hands before plunging in. If much heated from violent exercise the sudden shock is too much for a weak individual and then the sudden cooling of overheated muscles may be disastrous to the strongest man.

3. One should never dive into water without knowing its depths and the condition of the bottom. Many a diver has failed to reappear after a plunge into a pond, lake or stream. He may strike a stone or submerged log or become entangled in grass or weeds.

THE B.C. MEDICAL ASSOCIATION

Do You Mean What You Say?

"SEE HOW IT PANS OUT"

This phrase has come down to us from the "forty-niners" of the California gold rush, where it referred to the method of separating the gold from the earth. A pan of water was used for the purpose, and, when shaken, it brought to view any gold the pan might contain. The phrase to-day is used in reference to the possible outcome of any experiment.

The WEATHER

Daily Bulletin Furnished by the Victoria Meteorological Department

Victoria, April 20.—5 a.m.—The barometer is steadily rising and fair weather is becoming general on the Pacific Slope. Mild weather continues in the prairies.

Reports

Victoria—Barometer, 30.22; temperature, maximum yesterday, 56; minimum, 46; wind, 6 miles S.W.; rain, .07; weather, fair.

Vancouver—Barometer, 30.20; temperature, maximum yesterday, 56; minimum, 46; wind, 4 miles S.E.; rain, .30; weather, cloudy.

Kamloops—Barometer, 29.92; temperature, maximum yesterday, 60; minimum, 44; wind, 4 miles E.; rain, .01; weather, cloudy.

Prince Rupert—Barometer, 29.90; temperature, maximum yesterday, 52; minimum, 44; wind, 20 miles S.E.; rain, .26; weather, rain.

Estevan Point—Barometer, 30.14; temperature, maximum yesterday, 56; minimum, 42; wind, 4 miles N.E.; rain, .18; weather, clear.

Tatoosh—Barometer, 30.18; temperature, maximum yesterday, 54; minimum, 46; wind, 12 miles S.; rain, .30; weather, cloudy.

Portland, Ore.—Barometer, 30.26; temperature, maximum yesterday, 62; minimum, 50; wind, 6 miles S.E.; rain, .02; weather, cloudy.

Seattle—Barometer, 30.22; temperature, maximum yesterday, 54; minimum, 46; wind, 12 miles S.E.; rain, .10; weather, clear.

San Francisco—Barometer, 30.18; temperature, maximum yesterday, 66; minimum, 56; wind, 4 miles W.; weather, clear.

Penticton — Temperature, maximum yesterday, 72; rain, .44.

Nelson—Temperature, maximum yesterday, 64; rain, .11.

Temperature

	Max.	Min.
Victoria	56	46
Vancouver	56	46
Barkerville	62	..
Grand Forks	87	..
Swift Current	82	52
Medicine Hat	72	44
Calgary	70	40
Moose Jaw	80	47
Edmonton	72	42
Regina	80	37
Qu'Appelle	74	46
Winnipeg	72	34
Toronto	32	22
Ottawa	32	18
Montreal	30	22
St. John	38	24
Halifax	46	36

MAN FACES TRIAL

Vancouver, April 20.—In the custody of Corporal R. Vise of the Alberta provincial police, Fred Ainsley, wanted in Lethbridge on a charge of embezzling approximately $5,000 while acting as agent for a lumber company, left here for that city today. Ainsley was arrested here last Friday night. He is said to have come to Vancouver from Lethbridge a few weeks ago.

Kirk's Wellington 139

Canadian Questions and Answers

CANADA'S ELECTRIC STATION INDUSTRY

Q. What is the extent of the Electric Station Industry in Canada?

A. The Central Electric Station Industry showed an increase during 1924. There are now 1,064 stations, while 412 buy electricity for re-distribution. Service was supplied to 1,219 municipalities as against 1146 in 1923 while many additions were made to existing power plants and the increase in total capital was eight per cent. or at present $507,000,000.

THE CITY OF WINNIPEG

Q.—What is the history of the city of Winnipeg?

A.—A fort on the present site of Winnipeg was built in 1806 by an English trading company rebuilt in 1822 and again in 1835 and as Fort Garry it remained until 1862. The population in 1871 was only 215. It was not until the C.P.R. was built that the city began to go ahead. Now it is one of the large cities of Canada, the metropolis of the prairies and the greatest grain market in the Empire. As the West grew so Winnipeg has grown. It has a large industrial section, a representative wholesale quarter and many striking public buildings. Among the great industries are flour milling, meat packing, steel and other plants and is bound to make relative progress as the years pass.

PIGEON RACING

In the race held on Saturday by the Victoria Pigeon Racing Club the birds were released from Bremerton, Wash. The race was very successful in every way, with the winner making excellent time. R. Dickinson won the race with his bird, Mildred, which made the flight in 2 hours 2 minutes and 46 seconds. R. Dickinson also won the nomination pool.

The results were as follows:

	H.	M.	S.
R. Dickinson, Mildred	2	4	46
W. Bryan, Bee	2	4	21
J. Bowcott, Mabel B	2	4	27
J. Bland, Chisholm	2	4	38
Stewart & Son, Blue Bell	2	4	57
W. Tait, Black Night	2	5	20
J. Benoni, Angora	2	5	53
W. Simpson, Twobits	2	5	56
J. Frampton, Game Cock	2	6	24
J. Cumberback, Times	2	6	46
C. Kelley, Surprise	2	6	50
J. Grimston, What-Ho	2	6	58
J. Crossman, Love Match	2	12	14
T. Crossman, Princess Alice	2	23	20
R. Barrie, Sport	2	26	48
H. Seville, Bock B	2	42	57

Metchosin

Special to The Times

Metchosin, April 20.—An educational and practical demonstration in sheep husbandry will be given by Dominion and Provincial officials on the Whitney Griffiths Brothers' ranch, Metchosin, under the auspices of the B.C. Wool Growers, Metchosin District Local Association, on Monday, April 26. The programme is as follows: 3 p.m., demonstration in sheep-shearing; 3.30, shearing competition; 4, dressing of lamb demonstration.

The annual meeting of the Metchosin District local of the British Columbia Wool Growers' Association will be held in the Metchosin Hall in the evening at 8.30.

Lashes Urged For Narcotic Men

Ottawa, April 20.—Professional peddlers of narcotic drugs may be given the lash in addition to other punishment on conviction, if a bill introduced by Dugald Donaghy, Liberal, North Vancouver, in the Commons is passed. The bill was given first reading yesterday.

Mr. Meighen said it was really a matter for the criminal code and the bill should have been brought in by the Government and not by a private member.

There was no further debate on the initial stage of the bill.

Two men were walking down the main street of a country town when one of them took off his hat and bowed respectfully to an old gentleman who was passing.

"I owe more to that man than to anyone else on earth," he said.

"Did he give you your first chance in life?"

"No; he's my landlord."

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W. DUFF HEARD AT CUSTOMS INQUIRY

(Continued from page 1)

ary was increased to $100 a month, effective January 1, 1926, also without my knowledge.

"There have also been others appointed since I took charge of the preventive service in 1909 that I would have dismissed were I free to do so, or recommended their dismissal."

QUOTES POLITICS

"The reason for my inaction in this respect was politics, for which I have not been responsible, and I was not courting trouble for myself. Knowing political conditions as you do, it is unfair to hold me responsible in this regard."

Mr. Wilson stated that in future, so long as he remained in the Customs service, he proposed to recommend dismissals whenever he considered they were merited, no matter what the result to himself might be.

Mr. Duff took the stand after Mr. Wilson had made his statement.

He said Capt. Zinck had been appointed on his recommendation three years ago. Capt. Zinck had a good reputation and was honest, capable and efficient, Mr. Duff said.

He had put a watchman aboard each of these vessels while in port, paying each watchman $5 per day for his work, which was charged to the vessel on which he was stationed. Inspector Bolt of Halifax, however, had instructed Capt. Zinck to raise this charge to fifty cents an hour, or $12 per day, Capt. Zinck to pay his men $5, laying aside the difference until he received instructions what to do with it.

NO THEFT INTENT

On a number of occasions, said Mr. Duff, Capt. Zinck had asked for instructions as to the disposal of the money and had received none. He had had no intention of stealing the money. He was a respectable citizen and an efficient officer.

Paul Mercier, chairman of the committee, suggested the wisest course would be to summon Zinck to appear before the committee, and Mr. Duff agreed to this.

The time of the committee this forenoon was devoted largely to hearing testimony in regard to silk smuggling.

Ottawa, April 20—J. E. A. Bisaillon, former chief preventive officer at the port of Montreal, was called to the witness stand when the customs inquiry was resumed this morning.

Hon. H. H. Stevens, Conservative, Vancouver Centre, asked him to produce certain papers which the witness during his former examination had promised to furnish the committee.

TOLD OF ARRESTS

C. B. Alexander, a customs preventive officer of Montreal, was next called. He said he had formerly been on the staff of the Commercial Protective Association, and before that with the Royal Canadian Mounted Police. Mr. Alexander told of having arrested Mrs. Rachel Goodman, who ran two stores in Toronto. He had also arrested her daughter, Mrs. Eva Buckstein. The two women had been arrested in connection with the smuggling of 109 pieces of silk lingerie. Mrs. Goodman had operated a women's underwear business. The women had been summoned before the women's court in Toronto and Mrs. Goodman had been found guilty, fined and sentenced to jail.

She had appealed and at the hearing of the appeal claimed the goods were the same as those seized on a former occasion, said the witness. The appeal had been allowed because it had been impossible to prove the goods seized were not those seized previously.

The woman had continued in business, although she owed the Customs Department a considerable amount and had been repeatedly charged with infractions of the act. What was more, the witness said, she had been returned the goods supposedly smuggled.

FINE WAS IMPOSED

The witness told of the smuggling of a decoy lot of silks at Niagara Falls through the agency of a man called B. Zinkin, who ran a store in Niagara Falls, N.Y. There was no difficulty at all in getting the goods across, witness said. The silk had been brought safely to Toronto, where Zinkin was arrested and fined $700.

Still another case was described in which a motor car loaded with silk had been run across the border at Bridgeburg, Ontario. Tony White was the name of the smuggler. He had stated he could get the goods across "through knowing the customs officers."

There had been no trouble getting the silk across the bridge, where, by arrangement, it was seized by the Mounted Police.

"Was not the customs officer on duty dismissed?" asked Hon. R. B. Bennett, Conservative, West Calgary.

"I believe he was," replied the witness.

"Was he prosecuted?"

"I think not."

TEST SILK CASE

Alexander said a man had visited his office in Toronto and offered to arrange for smuggling silks across at Detroit. He claimed he was a "train crew fixer." For $11 a consignment of silk had been brought over at Detroit in a motor car.

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Bobby Jones Will Seek Both Titles While In England

Famous American Golfers After Amateur and Open Crowns; Strong U.S. Teams

New York, April 20.—Bobby Jones will make a bid for the British open golf championship as well as the amateur title this Summer during his trip abroad with the American team for the Walker Cup international matches.

The Atlanta Star's entry for the open tourney, scheduled June 23 to 25 at Lytham and St. Anne's, was forwarded yesterday by H. H. Ramsey, secretary of the United States Golf Association. With it were sent the entries of two other Walker Cup stars, Watts Gunn of Atlanta, and George von Elm of Los Angeles. All three previously were entered in the amateur championship, to be held at Muirfield May 24-29, followed on Jupe 2-3 by the Walker Cup contest.

STRONG COMPETITION

The United States will be strongly represented in all major British tournaments. Besides the amateur trio a group of professional stars, led by Walter Hagen, will enter the open championship, which has been captured by Americans four times in the past five years.

The women's invasion will be led by Miss Glenna Collett, American champion, who sailed Saturday on the Olympic for the tournament, scheduled for Harlech May 10. It will be the American champion's second attempt to lift the title. She was defeated last year by Miss Joyce Wethered, the titleholder. Miss Rosamond Sherwood, of the Women's National Golf and Tennis Club, also is entered.

The Walker Cup group will carry "good luck" messages from governors of all the states in the union when they sail, May 5, for England, the United States Golf Association announced. These messages will be presented to Robert A. Gardner of Chicago, the team captain, at the farewell dinner here May 4, which is expected to be attended by more than 1,000 golfers.

Capt. Estevez to Continue Flight

Madrid, April 20. — His narrow escape from death on the Syrian Desert has failed to daunt Captain Estevez. A dispatch received here from Amman says: "After recovery I shall continue the flight."

Cairo, April 20.—Captain Estevez and his mechanician, Calvo, are recuperating in the hospital at Amman from the effects of the hardships they underwent for six days after their airplane had run out of petrol and been forced down in the Syrian Desert April 11. Estevez was the leader of the Spanish squadron of three planes which started out from Spain for Manila.

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Chicken Pies, each	35¢
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Mince Steak, Oxford Sausage, per lb.	11¢
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BEDTIME STORY

Uncle Wiggily and the Honey Bear

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By HOWARD R. GARIS

Once upon a time there was a little bear boy, who was very good in many ways except for one thing. He was so fond of honey that he ate it every chance he got—even putting his paws in the honey pot and licking off the sweet stuff with his tongue.

The little bear's name was Wuffie and his mother would say to him:

"Now, Wuffie! Don't get in the honey pot to-day!"

"Oh, no, mother! I won't! Not at all!" Wuffie would promise, and he would mean to keep his promise, too. But, all of a sudden, he might happen to pass the pantry door, and, if his mother was upstairs making the beds, Wuffie would wrinkle up his little black nose and he would smell the honey in the pot, and he would go in and dip his paws in the sweet stuff. He just couldn't seem to help it.

Then Wuffie would say:

"Well, as long as my paws are all covered with honey I might as well lick them clean with my tongue!" And Wuffie would do this and, of course, in this way he ate more honey than was good for him.

His mother came down stairs after making the beds. She saw the pantry door open and she saw some drops of honey on the floor and she saw Wuffie cleaning off his sticky paws with his tongue and she said:

"Wuffie, have you been in the honey pot again?"

"Oh, yes'm, Mother dear, I guess I have!" whined Wuffie, for he always told the truth. "I just stuck my paws in a little bit and then I had to clean my paws with my tongue, you know, and that's why I'm eating honey!"

"Oh, you little honey bear!" sighed the mother. "What shall I do with you to make you better?"

"I don't know, mother dear!" whined Wuffie. "Perhaps you had better shut me up in a dark closet."

"No," sadly said the mother bear, "I have tried that and it doesn't keep you out of the honey."

"Maybe you had better let me eat the honey all up and never get any more in the house," said Wuffie. "If we didn't have any I couldn't put my paws in the pot."

"That wouldn't do," said the mother bear, "for your father is fond of honey, and I must keep some in the house for him. No, I must find a way to keep you out of the honey pot!"

Wuffie, seeing that his mother felt sad, promised never, never, never any more to take honey unless it was

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given him. But the next day he went in the pantry again and stuck all four paws in the honey pot.

"Oh, dear! What shall I do?" cried poor Mrs. Bear.

"Do about what?" asked a voice at the door, and there stood Uncle Wiggily, who was hopping past to go adventuring.

"What shall I do to teach Wuffie to keep away from the honey pot?" sighed Mrs. Bear.

"Leave it to me! I'll teach him a lesson!" said Uncle Wiggily with a laugh.

The next day Mrs. Bear went to the moving pictures in the afternoon, leaving Wuffie in the house all alone. No, not quite all alone, for very quietly Uncle Wiggily slipped into the pantry when Wuffie didn't see him. The rabbit gentleman carried a large bottle, which he uncorked inside the pantry.

Pretty soon Wuffie smelled honey and he said:

"I'll just stick one paw in the pot and lick that off. One paw—no more!" But when he had thrust one paw in he thought he might as well put in the other three, which he did. And he was cleaning the sweet stuff on his tongue when, all of a sudden out of the bottle crawled a million ant bugs.

And the ants, being very fond of honey, crawled all over Wuffie's sticky paws to get the sweet stuff. And as they crawled the ants tickled the little boy bear. Oh, how they tickled him.

"Ouch! Oh, dear! Ha! Ha! Ha! Ho! Ho! Ho!" laughed Wuffie, he was so tickled. He laughed until he cried and then he laughed some more, and his ribs were sore. By that time the ants had taken all the honey off Wuffie's paws and had crawled back into Uncle Wiggily's bottle.

"Well, Wuffie," asked the rabbit gentleman coming out of the pantry, "do you want some more honey?" But Wuffie said: "Oh, no! I've had all I want!" And after that he never put his paws in the pot for fear the ants would tickle him. And so he was cured. And if the five-cent piece isn't too proud to speak to the penny when they meet in the candy store, I'll tell you next about Uncle Wiggily and Nannie's necklace.

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CNRV (291) Vancouver, B.C.
7.30 p.m.—Health talk by C. J. Fletcher.
8 p.m.—Address by H. F. Angus, "Canadian Immigration and Emigration."
8.30 p.m.—Studio programme.
10.30 p.m.—Cabaret Belmont orchestra.

CFDC (411) Vancouver, B.C.
6-7 p.m.—Studio programme.

CFCQ (411) Vancouver, B.C.
8-8.30 p.m.—Address, Moorite Products Company of Canada.
11.30-1 a.m.—Dance music.

KGO (361) Oakland, Cal.
4-5.30 p.m.—Concert orchestra of the Hotel St. Francis.
6-6.55 p.m.—Dinner concert.
6.55 p.m.—Final reading of weather and stock reports and S.F. produce news.
8-9 p.m.—Eveready programme (San Francisco studio.
9-9.10 p.m.—Henry M. Hyde, "Wonders of the Sky."
9.10-10 p.m.—Studio programme of instrumental and vocal numbers.
10-12 p.m.—Dance music.

KFWI (226) So. San Francisco, Cal.
10-1 a.m.—Paul Kelli's Il Trovatore orchestra.

KHQ (273) Spokane, Wash.
7 p.m.—Loring Overman trio.
8 p.m.—Musical programme.
9 p.m.—Clemmer organ.

KFWB (252) Hollywood, Cal.
5.30-6.30 p.m.—Children's hour.
6.30-7.30 p.m.—Pontiac Six dinner hour.
8 p.m.—Courtesy programme.
9 p.m.—The Little Ant Man.
9.15 p.m.—Warner Bros.' Syncopators.
10.15-11 p.m.—Warner Bros.' frolic.

KPO (428) San Francisco, Cal.
6.30 p.m.—States Restaurant orchestra.
7-7.30 p.m.—Rudy Seiger's Fairmont Hotel orchestra.
8 p.m.—Studio programme.
9-10 p.m.—Gypsy and Marta, close harmony team; Mona Motor Oil trio.
10-11 p.m.—Palace Hotel dance orchestra.

KOWW (256) Walla Walla, Wash.
7-7.30 p.m.—Weather, markets, home help and recipes.
8-10 p.m.—Studio programme.
10-12 p.m.—Dance music.

KTAB (240) Oakland, Cal.
[illegible] p.m.—Educational programme by Mills College.

KJR (384) Seattle, Wash.
5.40-6 p.m.—Closing New York stock quotations.
6.35-6.50 p.m.—"Motorlogues."
6.30-7 p.m.—Financial summary.
7-8.30 p.m.—Bedtime stories, music.
8.30-10 p.m.—Puget Sound Savings and Loan Association concert orchestra.

KFI (467) Los Angeles, Cal.
5.30 p.m.—Matinee programme.
6.30 p.m.—Vest pocket concert.
7 p.m.—Jack Rhinehart's Chinese Garden orchestra.
7.30 p.m.—Popular programme.
8 p.m.—Programme by Screen Artists' quartette.
9 p.m.—Classic hour.
10 p.m.—Packard Radio Club.

KNX (337) Hollywood, Cal.
7 p.m.—Courtesy programme.
7.45 p.m.—Talk on Health by Dr. Robert T. Williams.
8-10 p.m.—Feature programme.
10-12 p.m.—Ray West's Cocoanut Grove orchestra.

KHJ (405) Los Angeles, Cal.
6.30-7.30 p.m.—Weekly visit of the Radio Fairies.
7.30 p.m.—H. M. Robertson will talk on Dogs.
8-10 p.m.—Times de luxe programme.

KGW (492) Portland, Ore.
6-7 p.m.—Dinner concert.
7.30-7.45 p.m.—Weather, market and police reports and sporting results.
7.45-8 p.m.—Talk.
8-10 p.m.—Educational programme.
10-12 p.m.—Dance music from the Gold Room of the Multnomah Hotel.

KOA (323) Denver, Colo.
5.30 p.m.—Dinner concert.
6.30 p.m.—Farm question box.
7.30 p.m.—Radio mystery serial, "A Step On the Stairs" (fifth installment).

KTBI (294) Los Angeles, Cal.
7.15-8 p.m.—Aunt Martha's children's hour.
8-9 p.m.—Studio programme.

KQW (227) San Jose, Cal.
6.30 p.m.—U.S. Department of Agriculture programme.
7 p.m.—California Farm Bureau evening radio news.

KFAU (275) Boise, Idaho
6-6.20 p.m.—Uncle Bert's gardening talk to boys.
6.30 p.m.—Children's programme.
7-9 p.m.—Programme by artists from Nampa, Idaho.

KDKA (309.1) Pittsburg, Pa.
8.30 p.m.—Sacred song half-hour.
9 p.m.—Girls' Glee Club, Pikeville College.
11.35 p.m.—Grand Theatre.

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11-12 p.m.—Dallas Athletic Club symphony orchestra.

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11.45-1 a.m.—Nighthawk frolic.

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7-9 p.m.—WEAF.
10.05 p.m.—"A Step On the Stairs," serial drama, seventh episode.

KYW (535.4) Chicago, Ill.
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10-1 a.m.—Evening at home.

WBAP (475.9) Fort Worth, Texas
7.30-8.30 p.m. — Virginia Jackson Wright, pianist.
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WHO (526) Des Moines, Iowa
7.30-8 p.m.—Raleigh quintette.
8-9 p.m.—Musical programme.
11-12 p.m.—Bankers Life Corn Sugar orchestra.

WOAI (394.5) San Antonio, Texas
8.30 p.m.—Gebhardt Mexican Players.

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A busy Summer season for boys is planned by the Boys' Division of the Y.M.C.A. for the coming months.

Plans are under way for a strong junior swimming club and already there are about fifty applicants. Last year three successful galas were held by this boys' organization and they hope to duplicate last years' achievements. As well as the big filtered tank in the Y.M.C.A. they have their outdoor headquarters at Curtis Point on the Gorge.

First aid and lifesaving is another feature in which the boys are keenly interested. Over thirty boys are interested in the advanced classes, which will be conducted by E. Harwood, first aid man at the C.P.S. mill and who is a fully qualified St. John's Ambulance Society instructor. The beginners' classes in first aid and the lifesaving classes will be taken by George Porteous, who holds the award of merit of the Royal Lifesaving Society.

Last year over one hundred boys attended first aid classes and eleven qualified for the elementary certificate of the Royal Lifesaving Society. With the interest stimulated last year greater results are expected in the coming classes. The beginners' classes will meet on Saturday morning after their swim, while the advanced classes will meet Friday evening at 7 o'clock.

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"Pygmalion" to be Presented Here Under Kiwanis Club Auspices

Among the ten prominent students of the University of British Columbia in the cast of this year's Spring play, "Pygmalion," is the newly-appointed Rhodes scholar, Harry Verney Warren. He takes up residence at Oxford in the Fall, as he is a graduate in the Faculty of Applied Science in the class of 1926.

Mr. Warren, who is a native son of this Province, received his schooling in Vernon and in Vancouver. He has been prominent in rugby football and holds several track records, being one of the athletes sent to represent U.B.C. in the Western intercollegiate meet last year.

Other important male roles are played by Peter Price, who took the lead in "You and I," the play of last season, Mr. D'Arcy Marsh and Willoughby Matthews. The leading lady, Miss Isobel Barton, is highly praised by the Vancouver papers as giving a portrayal of Eliza, the London flower-girl, that associates her with Mrs. Patrick Campbell, the originator of the part.

This gay, human comedy ranks with "St. Joan" and "Candida" as one of G. B. Shaw's best acting plays. The Players' Club has won excellent criticism for its production, the unanimous verdict being that it is the best performance in the eleven years of its history.

A Vancouver papers says: "They have again covered themselves with distinction. The opening on Thursday evening, before a large and demonstrative audience in the attractive University Theatre saw a highly creditable performance of that sparkling comedy. To Prof. F. G. C. Wood goes much praise. His direction of this effort has resulted in an action and an atmosphere that are always compelling; the play swings fluently to its climax by adroit stagecraft, clear diction and intelligent characterization."

This unusually attractive play will be presented here at the Royal Victoria Theatre on the evening of Friday, April 30, under the auspices of the Kiwanis Club.

Lutheran Church Social—Two social functions are being planned for the near future at the Grace English Lutheran Church. The young people are preparing for a dramatic evening for Monday, April 26. The entertainment will consist of two short plays given by the young people, interspersed with musical numbers and followed by refreshments. The Ladies' Aid will serve afternoon tea in the social rooms of the church on Wednesday, May 5. A stall for the sale of aprons and home cooking will be open during the afternoon. An informal musical programme will be rendered.

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SOCIAL PERSONAL — WOMEN'S AFFAIRS AND CLUB NEWS

Peeress-Parliamentarian Has Views On Land Nationalization

Duchess of Atholl Thinks Increase in Private Farm Ownership Preferable; Speaks Here To-night

One of the most outstanding and interesting women to visit Victoria for many years is the Duchess of Atholl, Scottish peeress, and the first woman ever to hold the important parliamentary post of Secretary to the Board of Education in Great Britain. Her Grace reached the city this afternoon from the East, where she has been attending the National Council of Education conferences, and is accompanied by her niece and secretary, Miss Morley-Fletcher. They will be guests at Government House during their stay.

This evening at 8.15 at the First United Church, the Duchess will give a public address on the subject, "Some Problems of Modern Citizenship." As she is a brilliant and fluent speaker, it is anticipated there will be a "full house" to hear Her Grace.

FINDS PROBLEMS SIMILAR

The Duchess gave some interesting views on education, land nationalization and similar matters in the course of an interview a few days ago.

Education generally presented much the same problems in the Mother Country as here, and she thought it highly desirable that close contact should be maintained in dealing with them. As in Canada, the education of the sub-normal child was the current problem in England; and the orthopoedic school for crippled children had been the latest development. In fifty large centres these schools were not merely segregating the little cripples, but treating them as well, with the hope of ultimate cure in a large proportion of cases.

As owner of one of the largest estates in Scotland her view of Lloyd George's scheme for nationalization of the land was interesting. The Duke of Atholl, who is head of the Murray clan, has 200,000 acres.

LAND NATIONALIZATION

"I do not think it is the solution of our problem, because it does not offer to the farmer the incentive of ownership," she said. "What we want is an increase in private ownership of the farms, and with the breaking up of the large estates that is steadily progressing. Nationalization would not give it; and I think it would be rather a long step in the direction of socialism.

"As a matter of fact, the idea of nationalization started in Scotland, and we were rather interested to hear that it was not intended to apply it there. However, I would not like to offer any criticism of Mr. Lloyd George. His service to the Empire during the war was very great."

FAVORS CADET TRAINING

The duchess had no hesitation in expressing her opinion of cadet training. She was heartily in favor of it. "It was recently proposed to do away with the grant for it at home," she said, "but public sentiment expressed itself very strongly and I am glad to say that the Government was able to continue it."

MAY DAY BALL HAS BEEN POSTPONED

The annual May Day ball, scheduled for May 1, will not be held on that date this year. Owing to unforeseen circumstances the committee handling the function this year was compelled to postpone the date to Friday, May 14, at the Foresters' Hall. The social committee of the Civic Employees' Protective Association is sponsoring this affair this year and it is the intention of this body to take over this event and hold it on a large scale on May 1 every year. Samuel Howard, who was largely responsible for the success of this event for the past two years on behalf of the Trades and Labor Council, has been appointed chairman.

Purple Star Meeting—Purple Star L.O.B.A. No. 104 will meet at the Orange Hall, Courtney Street, on Wednesday evening, when the Provincial Grand Secretary of the Provincial Grand Orange Lodge will attend and deliver an important message. The Worthy Mistress of Purple Star Lodge has extended an invitation to the other L.O.B.A. lodges in Victoria to be present at the meeting.

WOULD TIGHTEN UP U.S. LIQUOR LAWS

Woman Official Urges That Punishment be Made to Fit the Crime

Washington, April 20—The Volstead Act can be enforced relatively as well as other laws, Mrs. Mabel Walker Willebrandt, assistant attorney-general in charge of liquor prosecutions, declared to-day before the Senate prohibition committee.

Before Mrs. Willebrandt was called to the stand at the beginning of the third week of the hearing, the drys sounded a trumpet call to the Federal Government to convince opponents of the prohibition laws that these statutes can and will be made effective. Appearing for the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, Bishop James Cannon Jr. declared the law should be enforced in the wet sections of the East at whatever cost of men and money to protest the remainder of the country.

Tightening up of the enforcement statute also was argued by Mrs. Ella A. Boole of New York, national president of the Women's Christian Temperance Union; Fred B. Smith, chairman of the citizens' committee of 1,000 for law observance and enforcement, and Colonel Walter F. Jenkins of New York, national secretary of the Salvation Army, who appeared as the personal representative of Commander Evangeline Booth.

More "teeth" in the law also were argued by Mrs. Willebrandt, who suggested especially that the act be amended so that federal judges can make the punishment fit the crime in the case of major offenders, the kind, Mrs. Willebrandt said, the federal courts should deal with.

While the committee thus was deluged with requests for tightening up the law, another administration measure was drawn up to-day by the treasury to make more effective the present coast defence against contraband liquor.

At the same time discussion of further agreements with Great Britain for curbing smuggling from that country were renewed with a trip by state and treasury department officials to London in prospect in connection with the international phase of the situation.

Saanich W.A. Health Centre to Hold Silver Tea

At the monthly meeting of the Women's Auxiliary to the Saanich War Memorial Health Centre yesterday afternoon, the W.A. presented Mrs. Lucas, the superintendent, with aprons for use in the operating room. Plans were made for a silver tea to be held at the Lake Hill Community Hall on May 5 from 3 until 5 o'clock, when the Lake Hill W.I. will cooperate with the W.A. in raising funds for the Health Centre.

Baptist Silver Tea—Under the auspices of the Women's Mission Circle of the First Baptist Church a silver tea will be held at the home of Mrs. W. Russell, 2642 Fernwood Road, on Thursday afternoon from 3 to 6 o'clock. This will be a musical programme and the proceeds of the afternoon will be given over to the mission fund of the society.

YOUR BABY and MINE

by MYRTLE MEYER ELDRED

Mrs. Eldred will be glad to answer all questions pertaining to babies and children. A stamped and self-addressed envelope forwarded to this office will bring a personal reply.

SOME PERTINENT QUESTIONS

Mrs. J. A. L. writes: "Will you please tell me at what age a child is supposed to be one-half of his full height? Is this superstition or fact? I have heard it said that it can always be proven. My baby is two years old and is thirty-five inches tall and weighs twenty-nine pound."

Answer.—It is supposed that at two years of age a child is one-half his full height when grown. I really can't say if this is scientific or not. At that rate your child would be five feet ten inches when grown, which is a good average height. No, we do not take measurements of our children yearly no doubt the truth or falsity of this will be evident within the next fifteen or twenty years.

BUMPS

Mrs. T. M. writes: "The other day my fourteen-month-old baby had a slight fall and received a bump on his head. It was nothing serious and it swelled a little and became black and blue. After I had rocked him for a few minutes he fell sound asleep. Since then several persons have told me that a baby should never be allowed to go to sleep after receiving a bump, that it always makes them sleepy but that they should be forced to stay awake for a while anyway. Will you explain why?"

Answer.—You have proven by your experience that in the case of slight bumps the child suffers no harm at all by going to sleep afterwards. It might be impossible, in the case of a serious accident, to discover the full extent of the injury if the child were to go to sleep. This sleep might lull anxiety for the time being and the sleep would be only the coma following severe shock. I know of no other reason for being fearful of sleep. In most cases it is all that is necessary to make the baby feel as good as new.

Mrs. S. B.: "The daily regime you are following for your boy of seven months seems to me very good. Fifteen pounds is not at all a bad weight, considering his rather low birth weight. I think you are needlessly anxious about putting more fat on him.

SOCIETY

Mrs. Lane Holmes, of this city, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. A. B. MacDonald in Vancouver.

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Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Jackson of Cobble Hill, were visitors in Victoria yesterday.

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Mrs. F. O. Murray, Richardson Street, is visiting in Vancouver as the guest of friends.

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Miss Kitty Maclure who has been visiting in Vancouver as the guest of her cousins, Dr. and Mrs. F. D. Panton, has returned to Victoria.

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Miss Mary Lawson, who has been visiting in Vancouver as the guest of friends, will return to Victoria to-morrow.

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Mrs. J. Patrick, "Cyn-Do-Myr," Michigan Street, has left for Bellingham, where she will visit her daughter, Mrs. G. A. Strickland.

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Miss Belle Ellers left last night for the mainland enroute to Boston and New York to continue her studies in elocution.

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Mrs. C. E. L. Wormald of Sutlej Street, returned to Victoria last night from California where she has been visiting for the last few weeks.

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Mr. and Mrs. N. J. Smillie and Master Alistair Smillie returned to Vancouver yesterday after spending the week-end as the guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Goward, York Place.

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Mrs. Douglas Corsan of Fernie, is the guest of friends in Vancouver and is expected in Victoria shortly on a visit to friends and relatives here.

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Mrs. W. F. Brougham and her daughter, Mrs. J. A. Hobday, who have been visiting Mrs. Selden Humphreys, Shasta Avenue, left for their home in Vancouver yesterday.

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Mrs. H. B. Mogg of Orchard Avenue, Oak Bay, will leave on Sunday for Montreal from where she will sail for England on the first of May on the Ansonia on a visit with relatives and friends for several months.

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Col. Raymond Collishaw, the famous Canadian airman, left for the mainland last night after spending the week-end in Victoria as the guest of the Chief Justice and Mrs. Macdonald, St. Charles Street.

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Miss Sylvia Appleby will leave on Saturday for Montreal, whence she will sail at the end of the month on the Montrose for England, to make an extended visit to relatives in London and other cities.

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Mrs. R. H. Fort, Constance Avenue, Esquimalt, will leave on Sunday for the mainland en route to Montreal, from where she will sail on May 1 on the Ausonia for England on a six months' visit to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Hannay at Folkestone.

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Miss Alice Strolger, who has been staying with Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Bowker, Beach Drive since her graduation from the training school for nurses, St. Joseph's Hospital, left yesterday for Cumberland where she has accepted a position on the staff of the hospital there.

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Rev. Canon and Mrs. Hazelhurst have returned to their home in Baysville, Ontario, after visiting Mrs. Gregory-Allen, Pembroke Street, for the last six weeks. Their many friends await with interest their return in the near future, when they will take up their residence at Deep Cove.

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Mrs. Kinloch, who is Divisional Commissioner for South Vancouver Island, has been appointed Acting Provincial Commissioner during the absence of Miss Mara in the East. Mrs. Fyfe-Smith of Vancouver has been appointed Deputy Provincial Commissioner.

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His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor and Miss Mackenzie returned to Victoria this morning from Vancouver, where His Honor assisted in the opening of the "Save the Forest" week by giving a talk over the radio last evening.

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Mrs. W. H. Rowlands, Phoenix Place, left last night for the mainland en route for Boston, to be present at the graduation of her son, Mr. Tom Rowlands, who will graduate as a naval artichect from the Massachusetts Institute of Technology, Boston. Mrs. Rowlands will visit in Calgary and Banff en route to the East, and will return home via California.

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His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor and Miss Mackenzie will entertain at a reception at Government House on Friday afternoon, at which Rotarians and Rotariennes only will be the guests. This will be one of the series of delightful social functions arranged for the entertainment of the visitors to the International Rotary convention this week.

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A very pretty wedding was solemnized at Rev. Dr. Campbell's at 1 p.m. on Sunday. When Miss Millie Zarrille, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Zarrille, became the bride of Mr. J. Zafferies, proprietor of the Gem Cafe, 631 Johnson Street. The bride looked very girlish in a brown satin dress and carried a bouquet of pink carnations and roses. Many friends wished them happiness as they left for Seattle, Portland and other parts of Washington. On their return Mr. and Mrs. Zafferies will make their home in Victoria.

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At "Breadalbane," the minister's residence, yesterday afternoon, the Rev. Dr. Campbell officiated at a ceremony which made Miss Lillian Mary Cameron, daughter of the late Capt. Cameron, the bride of Mr. Charles Norman Coe, both of Victoria. The bride who was given in marriage by her mother, Mrs. Mary Cameron, was very pretty in a traveling suit of mauve with hat to match. Mrs. Sarah Maria Coe, mother of the bridegroom, was becomingly gowned. After a honeymoon in Vancouver and Sound cities, Mr. and Mrs. Coe will hold a reception at the home of the bride's mother, and make their future home in this city.

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A quiet wedding was solemnized on Saturday evening in the presence of relatives and a few intimate friends at the home of the groom's parents on Mascot Avenue, when the Rev. A. K. McMinn united in marriage Stella Ann, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. Hopkins, and Mr. William Walter Wallace, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. W. Wallace. Mrs. James G. Robinson, aunt of the bride acted as matron of honor and the groom was supported by Mr. J. R. Robinson. Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Wallace left on the midnight boat for Vancouver and on their return from the mainland will make their home in Oak Bay.

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The home of Mr. and Mrs. George W. Clarke, Metchosin, was the scene of a very pleasant gathering on Saturday, when a large number of friends and relatives surprised them by motoring out from Victoria to celebrate their twenty-fifth wedding anniversary. Mrs. Clarke, who was formerly Miss Mary M. Elliott, daughter of the late W. G. Elliott and Mrs. Elliott, Walnut Street, was married in Victoria on April 17, 1901, to George W. Clarke, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Clarke, Blanshard Street, by the Rev. Elliot S. Rowe. Many beautiful gifts were received by the happy couple, and during the supper the toast to the bride and groom was responded to by Mr. Clarke. The evening was spent in games and music.

BAND CONCERT AT CRYSTAL GARDEN

Pleasing Programme For To-night's Tourist Entertainment

The Sixteenth Scottish Band will be at the Crystal Garden this evening with a specially prepared programme for Rotary week. "Always," the Irving Berlin number that is sweeping the country, will be featured as a solo number, taken in turn by cornet, saxophone and trombone. "No, No, Nanette," the favorite musical comedy, will also be featured.

The whole programme is arranged with light popular numbers with a view to putting the audience in the proper mood to receive the rotary visitors, finishing with a march dedicated to Rotarians.

The programme in detail follows: March, "Our Directors," Daniels; selection, "The Merry Widow," Straus; waltz, "Always," Berlin; descriptive, "Down South," Myddleton; fox trot, "Five Foot Two, Eyes of Blue," Henderson; selection, "No, No, Nanette," Youmans; valse, "Unrequited Love," Lincke; march, "Rotarians," Ellis.

Dominion Academy Junior Students in Pleasing Recital

The studio of the Dominion Academy was crowded to capacity on Saturday evening when Madame Webb presented a programme of great interest, the performers being her junior students and beginners.

Specially pleasing was the work of nine small beginners who played on three pianos, their skill and accuracy reflecting great credit on their teachers. Two violin solos were greatly enjoyed, the first number rendered by Muriel Smith, followed by "The Swan," played by Robert Ward. Among other excellent renderings was that of "The Butterfly," by Roy Gibbs, a boy who shows great promise.

Before the conclusion of the programme the visitors were treated to two selections cleverly executed on the piano by Flora Allan, one of the senior students, and two songs from Lilian Kirby.

The programme included items by Rusha MacDonald, May Dickson, John Macdonald, Lillian Kirby, Betty Shute, Robert Ward, Zelma Purdy, Roy Gibbs and Flora Allan, Berna Waring, Mollie Milton, Doreen Shute, Phyllis Newton, Jack Lindsay, Stewart Carson, Margaret Gower, Lilian Wilkinson, Margaret Cameron, Muriel Smith, Marguerite Manson, Marjorie Tudor, Eileen Fisher, Mary Glendinning, Frances Biggin, Mary Purdy, Mary and Marshy Alexander, Rita Norris, Louis Harris, Betty McLean, Georgina Copley.

KUMTUKS TO ADOPT GIRL GUIDE TROOP

Business Women to be "Big Sisters" to Tillicums; May 24 Plans

The Kumtuks Club at its monthly business meeting held in the Alexandra Club last evening, decided to "adopt" the newly-organized Tillicum troop of Girl Guides. This decision came as a culmination to the excellent talk on the work of the Guides given at the last meeting of the club by Mrs. Hebden Gillespie, when she spoke of the movement's need of "big sisters" to help it along.

Miss Eastman was elected to represent the club on the local association of the Girl Guides, in which a number of the Kumtuks members already play an active part.

It was decided not to participate in the May 24 parade, but the club will carry out its usual plan of inviting members of sister clubs in neighboring cities to attend the celebration, and also to be their guests at a banquet on Saturday, May 22. The plans for this banquet were furthered, and it was decided to hold it in the Chamber of Commerce.

Reports of committees showed that the club is much interested in the movement to conserve the wild flora of Vancouver Island among other projects of community interest.

Announcement was made of the supper meeting on Monday evening next at the Y.W.C.A., when Miss Foxall will give a talk and Miss Taylor will speak on forest protection. Two new members, Mrs. E. G. Maynard and Miss Meta Hodge, were welcomed. Miss Wigley presided at the gathering.

TRAVELERS INITIATE CLASS OF MEMBERS

Officers of Victoria Council Are Also Installed

Victoria Council 434, the Order of United Commercial Travelers of America met in session Saturday and initiated to membership a class of nine applicants. Senior Councillor E. G. Rowebottom presided. The local council has shown a wonderful enthusiasm and growth in the past year.

The installation of officers for the ensuing year took place. Past Councillor M. G. Hunter performed the duties of installing officer, assisted by Past Councillor J. G. Denholm acting as marshal. The new officers are: Senior Councillor, C. M. Marshall; Junior Councillor, A. C. Lindsay; Past Councillor, E. G. Rowebottom; secretary-treasurer, Past Grand Councillor E. M. McConnan, conductor, W. Beech; page, L. G. West, sentinel, L. W. Woodhouse; executive committee, E. J. Fatt, R. W. Jamieson, F. Beech and D. W. Webster; chaplain, W. H. Hayward.

Following the meeting, the membership adjourned to the banquet hall, where a dainty buffet supper was supplied by the ladies' auxiliary of the council.

Bro. Charles Scrivener and his serenaders rendered a short programme of dance music, concluding one of the most pleasant sessions the local council has had for some time.

PRIMROSE TEA AT OAK BAY CHURCH

The Ladies' Auxiliary of the Oak Bay United Church will hold a primrose tea, sale of fancy work, home cooking and flowers to-morrow afternoon from 3 to 6 o'clock at the church parlors, Granite Street. This is the first affair arranged since the union of the church was affected, and the members responsible for the tea anticipate a large gathering.

Lightning Takes Off Girl's Ankle

Tucson, Ariz., April 20—Brigada Garcia, twelve years old, suffered the loss of her right foot here yesterday by the prank of a bolt of lightning that struck the roof of her parents' home, entered the room by way of the stovepipe and clipped across her ankle, severing it as cleanly as though amputated by a surgeon's saw and knife.

The bolt left no other mark on the girl and she was reported resting comfortably at the hospital to-day.

Doris: "I think he's the meanest man I ever met."

Gladys: "What's the trouble?"

"I have made up my mind to refuse him, and he won't even propose to me."

LATEST MUSIC FOR BIG RADIO BALL

Victoria Club to Hold First Big Function To-morrow

A most alluring programme of music has been arranged by Hunt's orchestra for the first annual ball of the Victoria Radio Club which is to be held at the Alexandra ballroom on Wednesday evening, April 21. The Mayor and Mrs. Pendray are among the patrons of the affair.

During the evening an exhibition of dancing will be given by Miss Jose Farrington and J. H. Cecil Murray, who will demonstrate "the waltz beautiful." Saxophone solos will also be rendered by H. Holder.

Mrs. Adams Beck to Lecture on Great Indian Empress

Nurmahal, wife of one of the Mogul Emperors of India, will be the subject of the interesting and entertaining lecture to be given by Mrs. L. Adams Beck, the well known authoress, at St. Mary's Hall, Oak Bay, to-morrow at 3 p.m. The lecture will be under the auspices of the Camosun Chapter, I.O.D.E., and the proceeds will be given to the S.P.C.A. for its humanitarian work.

S.P.C.A. Tag Day — Members of various organizations in the city or friends of the S.P.S.A. who are willing to assist with the tag day on May 1 are asked to communicate with the convener, Mrs. W. F. Burton, telephone 3648R.

Curling and Waving Dries Life from Hair

The constant curling and waving demanded by present styles in bobbed hair, slowly burns the color, lustre and very life from the hair, leaving it dry, faded, brittle, and full of dandruff; then the hair roots shrink and the hair falls out fast.

Since girls just must curl and wave the hair to appear their prettiest, try "Danderine" to offset any bad effects. After the first application your hair will take on new life and that healthy, youthful lustre, become incomparably soft, wavy and appear twice as thick and abundant. Falling hair stops and dandruff disappears.

A 35-cent bottle of refreshing "Danderine" from any drug store or toilet counter will do wonders for any girl's hair. It goes right to the roots, invigorates, nourishes and strengthens them, helping the hair to grow thick, healthy and luxuriant. (Advt.)

Irish Queen Wanted for Victoria Day Celebration

"Old Oireland" has no representative society in Victoria to nominate a contestant for queen. Volunteers are therefore called for.

Send photo, name and address, and phone number to the undersigned before Thursday, April 22. The qualifications necessary are Irish descent, age between seventeen and twenty-five.

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AT THE THEATRES

CHANEY PLAYS TWO ROLES IN THRILLING FILM AT DOMINION

Chill Limehouse shadows—ominous silhouettes seen dimly through the fog—a sense of mystery that gives one a creepy feeling of delicious expectancy of something unknown—these are the impressions that one absorbs while watching Lon Chaney's latest and certainly one of his most remarkable characterizations in "The Black Bird."

The brilliancy of a vaudeville theater; the gaiety of London's poor, pathetically determined to have a good time in spite of the bite of penury, a foreboding of unseen evil overshadowing even the laughter—and then a remarkable climax in which the cloud is turned inside out and the silver lining reflects a happy sheen—that's the play.

Lon Chaney plays two roles, one a sinister underworld leader—the other a crippled missionary of almost angelic mien, in the new Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer mystery play, now being shown at the Dominion Theater. Never has an actor been called upon for two more dissimilar roles.

AT THE THEATRES

Capitol—"Kiki."
Columbia—"Three Wise Crooks."
Dominion—"The Black Bird."
Coliseum—"A Perfect Lady."
Playhouse—"Polly of the Follies."

CROOK STORY WITH UNUSUAL ANGLE IS VISITING COLUMBIA

A crook story with an unusual angle and a delightful human appeal is Evelyn Brent's latest vehicle, entitled "Three Wise Crooks," now showing at the Columbia Theatre. The production, which has been directed by F. Harmon Weight with that rare sympathy which characterized "Drusilla With a Million," is one in which the characterization stands out boldly. As Dolly Duvane, the sophisticated and clever crook from the great city, who is ultimately regenerated through the sweet simplicity and wholesome affection of a little old country lady, Miss Brent returns once more to the roles which made her famous; but in a somewhat different manner. She invests the part with splendid realism, and gives the best dramatic performance of her career.

AMUSING COMEDY STAGE FEATURE AT PLAYHOUSE

For an all-round entertainment the Playhouse Theatre has the goods. "Polly of the Follies," the hilariously amusing comedy which the Hincks Players are producing this week, is one of the best. This playet went over at the initial performance last night.

Dancing numbers, musical hits, plenty of humor and fine acting all combine in making "Polly of the Follies" a delightful offering.

"The Girl From Montmartre" is on the Playhouse screen. This is the last picture of Barbara La Marr's.

The Playhouse Players are assisted by two talented ladies, Doris Stark and Peggy Sullivan, whose dancing numbers are outstanding features of the show.

SUPERB BILL DRAWS CROWDS TO CAPITOL THEATRE THIS WEEK

Norma Talmadge puts a new kick in "Kiki." Any one who saw the Belasco stage play and who happened to be among the crowds which packed the Capital Theatre yesterday will vouch for this fact.

From now on Norma Talmadge and "Kiki" should be synonymous, for never has a motion picture star been so aptly fitted for a role as Miss Talmadge for the title character in the gay story of modern Paris life. The First National picture fairly bubbles over with mirthful situations, yet throughout the story runs a highly dramatic theme—the adventures of a little street gamin who aspires to stage fame and the luxurious life of a "great lady."

In addition this week to the feature attraction the Capitol Theatre presents two exceptional musical attractions, the first being the Moanaloua String Quartette in native Hawaiian dances and melodies of the South Seas. The second, Tex Howard and his Princess Orchestra. Tex and his musicians are playing another tuneful selection of dance melodies.

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"A PERFECT LADY" IS ROMANTIC STORY NOW AT COLISEUM

There is a storm raging outside when Ann Mortimer arrives at the house of her former sweetheart—but it is nothing to the storm which happens inside when her adopted son arrives with a bunch of theatrical folk from the city. "A Ruined Lady," which received a spontaneous welcome at the Coliseum, is the famous comedy-romance which was produced in New York under the title of "The Ruined Lady," and in which Miss Grace George so attractively starred.

It was another peppy Coliseum production well staged and played with snap. One of the most joyous scenes in the play is where one of the chorus girls resents her companion's assumption of a too modest demeanor. She is goaded beyond indurance when the other announces that she never drinks anything but milk, and was out for the first time without her mother.

GORGE PARK GAMES WILL OPEN SUNDAY

Majority Vote of Commissioners Over-rides Wishes of Reeve

The Esquimalt Police Commission last night granted permission to operators of the Japanese Tea Gardens at the Gorge Park to run certain games of skill on Sunday.

Reeve Matheson opposed the granting of any such permission, as he has done in the past. The subject was argued. The votes gave the Takata interests at the Gorge the right to operate on Sunday.

A letter from Mr. Takata in which he offered to throw open his place of amusement for the commissioners' inspection at any time to show that all was honest, fair and simple, was read at the meeting. Still Reeve Matheson opposed the idea. It was not right, he said, and his opinion of former years had not changed, he stated. Therefore he would stand opposed despite the vote of the other commissioners.

Famous Violins Will be on the Air From WJZ

A remarkable event in radio history will take place this evening from 9 to 10 o'clock, when Station WJZ, Radio Corporation of America, will broadcast for the first time the famous Rodman Wanamaker collection of rare violins which will be played before an invited audience of musicians and music lovers at the Wanamaker Auditorium on that date. This collection, which has been declared by experts to be one of the most important in America, contains four Stradivarii, representing three periods of the master's activity—the youthful, the golden and the swan. The last is represented by the famous Chant du Cygne or the "Swan" itself, the last violin made by Stradivarius in 1737, the year of his death, at the age of ninety-three.

Other instruments include examples of Montagnana, Guadagnini, Ruger, Tecchler and Gofriller, as well as many rare bows. A chamber orchestra composed of prominent members of the Philharmonic Society of New York will play upon these instruments under the direction of Henry Hadley, noted American composer and assistant conductor of the Philharmonic Society of New York. The famous Stradivarius known as The Swan will be played in solos by Scipione Guidi, concert master of the Philharmonic Orchestra. Charles M. Courboin, famous Belgian-American organist, will play the organ, while Dr. Alexander Russell will be at the piano.

Although this will be the first time that this remarkable collection will have been played over the radio, it was presented before specially invited audiences in the Wanamaker Auditorium in March with a full concert Society Chamber Orchestra conducted by Alfredo Cassella and Henry Hadley, with Efrem Zimbalist and Joseph Szigeti as solo violinists.

HARDING PENSION

Washington, April 20.—Dr. George T. Harding, father of the late President of the United States, has been notified by the pension office that he has been placed on the total disability list of Civil War veterans with an allowance of $72 a month.

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A. B. S. & C. Pills, 100 for 23¢
Cascara Compound Tablets, 23¢
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Veal Stew, per lb. ..... 15¢
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Corned Tongue, per lb. ..... 33¢
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THE beautiful and luxurious new hotel will open at Harrison Hot Springs on May 15. Guests will find that this hotel is fully equal in appointment and equipment to such famous resort hotels as Banff and Lake Louise. The hotel is an imposing structure, 265 feet in length, with a depth of 110 feet. Practically fireproof, being built of tapestry brick, stone, mill construction, concrete, and asbestos slate roof.

GOLF

One of the sportiest 9-hole golf courses on the Pacific Coast has been built by the company, and will shortly be opened to guests of the hotel.

BOATING

A fleet of high-powered launches, fishing boats and canoes will be at the command of the guests who enjoy boating.

FISHING

The waters of Harrison Lake and tributary streams teem with every known variety of fish found in British Columbia waters.

MOUNTAIN CLIMBING

There are many unscaled peaks in the beautiful Harrison Lake region, including Mount Douglas with its great glacier and gorgeous Mount Cheam.

Large foyer, dining-rooms, beautiful ballroom, billiard-room, barber shop and beauty parlor, ladies' parlor, attractive bedrooms with private baths and suites, have been provided.

Furnishings and equipment compare favorably with the most modern hotels. Intercommunicating telephone service, electric elevator service, hot and cold running water in all rooms, luxurious tapestries, carpets and furniture, and all other appointments that are to be found in a first class hotel. The kitchen equipment, alone, cost $21,000 . . . . which may be taken as a standard of the furnishings and equipment of the hotel throughout.

Harrison Hot Springs

Within a few hundred yards of the hotel are the famous Harrison Hot Springs. One is a sulphur spring, with a temperature of 155 degrees—the other a potash spring, with a temperature of 130 degrees. These famous springs have alleviated suffering and restored health to literally thousands of human beings—at a time when the accommodation provided was very crude. Resort experts and medical men are enthusiastic in their belief that these modern facilities will make Harrison Springs one of the greatest health resorts on the continent.

Swimming Pools and Private Baths

The waters of these springs have been piped to a well-equipped imposing natatorium building. This building is 110 feet in length by 75 feet in width. It is equipped with a beautiful white tiled bathing pool, 20 feet wide and 60 feet long, with a graduated depth of from 3 to 6 feet. There are 12 private baths, adequate shower bath and toilet accommodation, medical-rooms, rubbing-rooms, restrooms and waiting-rooms.

Modern Hydro-electric Plant Supplies Light and Power

The company has built, and owns, its own hydro-electric plant, which will supply light and power to the hotel, natatorium, laundry, garage—as well as to the entire Harrison Lake district.

Within Few Hours By Motor, Train or Parlor Coach

Two good motor roads make Harrison easily accessible. The old road, by way of Chilliwack, is in good shape. Modern ferries have been provided for transportation across the Fraser by this route.

A New Road

The British Columbia Government will have completed the new road on the north side of the Fraser River on May 20. This eliminates the necessity of ferrying, as a bridge is being built across the Harrison River. This Road will bring Harrison within eighty miles of Vancouver—an easy three-hour run.

Motor Bus Service

A powerful modern motor bus will be operated by the B.C. Motor Transportation Company Limited from Vancouver to Harrison daily.

Train Service

Harrison may be reached by both the Canadian Pacific and the Canadian National railways. Motor busses will meet all trains. It is a two-hour run by rail.

Reservations

Owing to the unusual number of enquiries regarding reservations, the company have made arrangements with their fiscal agents to accept reservations from now until opening date, May 15. Kindly address all requests for reservations to the Fidelity Securities Corporation, 318 Standard Bank Building, Vancouver, B.C.

A Limited Amount of Goodwill Preference Shares Will Be Offered to the General Public

A syndicate of Vancouver men have, with their own money, made possible the development of this wonderful resort. Undoubtedly it will become one of British Columbia's greatest tourist attractions. These Vancouver capitalists are showing their faith in the project by taking common stock in the company for their interest, and can only realize on their investment after the preferred shareholders have been taken care of. They offer 2,250 cumulative preference shares to the public at their par value of $100—with a bonus of two shares of common stock together with each share of preferred stock. The preferred shares will participate in surplus profits and increased value of the property. Applications for shares will be accepted in the order of their arrival. In the event of ever-subscription, moneys will be returned promptly.

RIDING

A stable of saddle horses will be provided for those guests who enjoy this form of recreation.

TENNIS

Tennis courts and lawn bowling greens have been provided immediately adjoining the hotel.

TRAPSHOOTING

Scatter-gun artists will be delighted to know that they may enjoy their favorite pastime while visiting Harrison.

DANCING

A spacious ballroom and good music will provide this popular form of amusement.

Harrison Hot Springs Hotel
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TERMS

The number of shares offered for subscription is 2,250 preferred shares only. They will be sold at their par value of $100 each. The terms are 25% on application, 25% on allotment and 25% in two equal monthly installments. The preference shares will bear and carry a fixed preferential dividend at the rate of 8% per annum, payable out of the net proceeds of the company each year.

ASSETS

The assets of the company consist of approximately 570 acres of land, on which are located the famous Harrison Hot Springs, a modern hotel, well-equipped natatorium, hydro-electric power and light plant, electric power laundry, golf course, tennis courts, traps and sundry general improvements, which Mr. K. Kerr Houlgate (president of Houlgate and Summerfield Limited, past president of the Vancouver Board of Trade, past president of the Vancouver Realty Association and director of the Union Steamship Company, operators of hotels and resorts), has appraised at $850,000.

BUSINESS

The company will conduct a year-round health and pleasure resort.

NO PROMOTION STOCK

No founder, or management, or deferred shares, are to be issued.

ESTIMATED EARNINGS

Efficient hotel and resort experts have prepared estimates of earnings, showing a net surplus of over three times the requirements for interest charges and dividends. This estimate is, admittedly, very conservative.

PROMOTERS SHOW GOOD FAITH

The Vancouver capitalists who have put their money into this project can only realize on their investment after the preferred shareholders have been taken care of. Their holdings in the company will consist of 48,995 common shares, fully paid up and non-assessable. The preferred shares will participate in surplus profits and intreased value of the property.

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Gentlemen:
Kindly send me (without obligation on my part) full particulars regarding issue of 8% Preference Shares Harrison Hot Spring Hotel Company Limited.

Name .....

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I hereby subscribe to (no. of shares).....8% Cumulative Preference Shares in the Harrison Hot Springs Hotel Company Limited (said shares to carry bonus of 20% in Common Shares). I herewith enclose my cheque for ..... dollars in (part) (full) settlement of subscription.

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Many Prominent Citizens to Attend St. George's Day Function

An appeal is being made by the local Society of St. George to English societies and particularly to the men and women of English descent to co-operate in a national day of rejoicing and celebration on St. George's Day. A banquet has been arranged to be held in the Hudson's Bay dining-room, when prominent local speakers will propose patriotic toasts. A musical programme has been arranged appropriate to the occasion.

It is announced that His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor and Miss Mackenzie, Bishop and Mrs. Schofield, Commander Percy Walker Nelles, R.C.M., American Consul G. A. Bucklin, and Mrs. Bucklin, His Worship Mayor Pendray, and many other prominent citizens will attend. The president of the Royal Society of St. George, Dean C. S. Quainton, will be chairman.

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LATE MRS. PENWILL'S FUNERAL WEDNESDAY

Funeral services for the late Mrs. Mary Jane Penwill, widow of the late C. T. Penwill, will be held from the B.C. Funeral Chapel to-morrow at 11 a.m. Interment will be made in the family plot in Ross Bay Cemetery.

The late Mrs. Penwill was born in January, 1844, at the village of Bovey Tracy, Devon, England. She is survived by a daughter, Elizabeth May Penwill of Victoria, and a son, W. F. Penwill of Vancouver; a grandson, Frank H. Penwill of Vancouver; two sisters, Mrs. Davies of Chicago, and Mrs. Morgan in England.

Private service for the late Mrs. Margaret Holloway was held yesterday afternoon at 2.15 at Hayward's B.C. Funeral Chapel by the Rev. F. H. Fatt, in the presence of several friends. The casket was covered with many beautiful floral designs, and the following gentlemen acted as pallbearers: Messrs. F. Kermode, J. C. Newbury, J. A. McTavish and R. T. Williams. The body was laid to rest in the family plot at Ross Bay Cemetery.

The funeral of the late William Bruce, who passed away on Sunday evening, will be held from the B.C. Funeral Chapel to-morrow afternoon at 3.30. Interment will be made at Ross Bay Cemetery. The late Mr. Bruce was born in Scotland eighty-two years ago, and is survived by his widow, one son and one daughter.

SAANICH LIBERALS DISCUSS CANDIDATE

Choice Will be Made at Open Convention Next Month

Send Congratulations to Ottawa on New Budget

The executive of the Saanich Liberal Association at a meeting held last night, decided to call a convention to select a candidate to contest the riding in the Liberal interests at the next Provincial election.

The convention will be held at Marigold Hall, Marigold Road, on Wednesday, May 19, at 7.30 p.b.

The convention will be open to all residents of Saanich, who are entitled to vote, and who sign a declaration that they are supporters of the Liberal Party in British Columbia.

The executive also unanimously approved of the following resolution, which was submitted by A. E. Jones: "To Rt. Hon. W. L. Mackenzie King, members of the Cabinet, Liberal and Progressive members of the House of Commons, Ottawa:

Honorable gentlemen,—We, the executive members of the Saanich Liberal Association, in session assembled April 19, 1926, offer our hearty and sincere congratulations on the grand and wise budget brought down in the House of Commons at Ottawa, and which should receive the thanks and hearty approval of every true Canadian."

Langford

Special to The Times

Langford, April 20—The final card party under the auspices of the Langford Women's Institute was held on Friday night at "Swastike," by the kindness of Miss L. Savory. The prizewinners for the progressive five hundred were Mrs. G. Eldridge and Mr. G. A. Looney, the consolation prizes going to Mrs. Bartle and Mr. Stevens. Mrs. Stevens and Mr. W. Bickford were the prizewinners for the bridge games, with Mrs. R. Barr and Mr. Spencer obtaining the consolation trophies. The highest scorers for the whole series proved to be Mrs. A. Cowie and Mr. W. Savory, and Mrs. L. O'Neill and George O'Neill got the consolation prizes. These were given by the institute.

Much amusement was caused by every one present wearing a badge denoting some home product. Mr. and Mrs. Mackie conducted this and the best guessers proved to be Mrs. J. L. Brown and Mr. W. Bartle, who received pots of beautiful blooms from the hostess.

The funniest illustration was won by Mrs. A. Cowie, representing a hayseed. Refreshments were served and a hearty vote of thanks accorded to Miss Savory for her kindness and generosity.

Mrs. Albert Holshoe entertained a number of her eldest daughter, Mildred's, playmates on her twelfth birthday. A delightful supper was served. Every visitor had a little souvenir in the shape of a pretty candy basket.

Mr. and Mrs. Kay, with their two small sons, have come to reside on the Goldstream Road from Somenos, B.C.

SOCKS SOCKED TOO MUCH

London, April 20.—Elky Clark of Scotland, flyweight champion of Great Britain, defeated "Kid" Socks, popular challenger, in their twenty-round title bout here last night, the referee stopping the fight in the last round.

NEWS IN BRIEF

The Victoria Council No. 434, United Commercial Travelers, will hold a dance in K. of C. Hall, Government Street, Saturday evening. Pitt's orchestra will play the latest dance hits.

The members of the local encampment of Odd Fellows are invited to attend the Odd Fellows' Hall this evening at 8 o'clock to meet the Grand Patriarch of British Columbia, James Renfrew.

A combined meeting of Wards Four and Five Liberals was held at the Liberal rooms, Government Street last evening. Herbert Shandley spoke on the Workman's Compensation Act.

The team to represent the Hudson's Bay against the Tillicums tomorrow will be as follows: Shrimpton; Gardner and McKay; Haggen, Webber and Kerchen; Addie, Clark, Woodley, Hansen and Carey. Reserve Mair.

Despite the recommendation of the majority of the members of the Esquimalt Police Commission that a license should be granted to the Conklin and Garrett circus to operatee for a week in the municipality, the Esquimalt Council flatly refused such permission at a special meeting called last night.

For threatening a Chinaman, John Quin, with a gun, Ronald Cross was charged in the City Police Court this morning and was remanded until to-morrow. He stated he wished to secure legal advice and obtain witnesses on his own behalf. Quin sat in court to-day with one eye patched and with his left temple bruised and swollen.

The postponed regular meeting of the Central School Parent-Teacher Association will be held in the auditorium of the Girls' Central School this evening at 8 o'clock. In addition to the routine business, including discussion of May 24 floats, Aubrey Kent of Kent's Phonograph Store will demonstarte the new Brunswick Panatrope.

At a general meeting of the Tuberculosis Veterans' Association held last night, it was unanimously decided that the branch accept the invitation to apply for a charter with a view to becoming a branch of the Canadian Legion of the British Empire Service League, and that a delegate would represent the local body at the provincial conference to be held May 7 and 8 in Vancouver.

The New Zealand and Overseas Friendship League, Division 3, at Christchurch, N.Z. has written to the city asking that a circular of its aims be distributed to organizations here. The organization plans to promote correspondence between residents in the British Dominions. The circulars will be distributed to the Y.M.C.A., Y.W.C.A., Public Library, and other places in the city.

A meeting of all interested in cycling will be held in the Y.M.C.A. rooms on Thursday at 8 p.m., under the auspices of the Four C's Bicycle Club. An active programme of outings and track events are planned for the coming season. Definite arrangements will be made at the meeting in regard to the Penwill trophy race to be held at Beacon Hill. The public is invited.

The City Council is asked in a letter from the executive of the Union of B.C. Municipalities to prepare a summary of any resolutions it will bring forward at the annual convention, to be held this year at Vernon on a date to be fixed later. All resolutions to be spoken to must reach the executive by July 31, it is stated. Victoria pays a membership fee of $125 in the Union, and yearly sends delegates to the conference.

Members of the 48th Battalion, C.E.F., are again reminded that the annual banquet will be held on Thursday evening at the Chamber of Commerce auditorium, Government Street, commencing at 7 p.m. Numerous members of the battalion from outside points have already written and signified their intention of being present. It is sincerely hoped by the committee in charge of arrangements that a large number of the local members will be on hand. Bert Zala will be present to supply the music and well known local artists have been engaged to entertain the gang. Tickets for the event can be procured at the Horse Shoe cigar stand or from Joe Bloom, secretary of the Veterans of France.

The Sunday School choir and young people of the First United Church will give a concert at St. Aidian's Community Hall, Mount Tolmie to-morrow evening at 8 o'clock. Among those who are taking part in the programme are: W. McGregor and J. Smith, the First United Church Sunday School choir, under the direction of Alfred Gurney; Mrs. W. Wright, John Gough, Miss Isabel Grant, D. Purvis, G. Sword and N. Grant, mandolin trio; the Misses Agnes Turnbull, Dorothy and Gladys Lea; the Rev. G. Goodfellow; Miss Carold Menzies, Miss M. Watson. A humorous sketch will also be given.

FORMER VICTORIAN DIES IN SOUTH

The death occurred in California, on April 17, of Amy, wife of W. A. (Bert) Sprinkling, aged thirty-four years, formerly of this city. She leaves, besides her husband and daughter, Shirley, her mother, Mrs. Partington, of 2415 Shakespeare Street, three sisters, Mrs. A. Gay, Mrs. A. M. Wilkinson and Mrs. J. T. Drybrough, and two brothers, Lawton and Frank Partington, all of this city. The funeral took place in the South yesterday.

GOVERNMENT TO AID VANCOUVER HOSPITAL

Vancouver members of the Legislature conferred with the Government to-day on the hospital needs of their city and secured a grant of $50,000 for use in extending the tubercular ward of the Vancouver General Hospital. The Government also agreed to make its usual grant of $2,500 to the central city mission, and to consider the request that it aid in the construction of a hospital for crippled children.

ELDERLY WOMAN SECURES DAMAGES

Claim Follows Automobile Accident on Burnside Road Last Year

Assessment of damages for injuries to an elderly woman when she was knocked down by an automobile on Burnside Road in March of last year was asked in an action proceeding before Mr. Justice W. A. Macdonald in the Supreme Court to-day.

The claim is made on behalf of Mrs. Annie Zillinsky who sued Gordon T. Rant. Mr. Justice Murphy in Supreme Court dismissed the action but his judgment was reversed by the Court of Appeal and the action referred back to the Supreme court for damages to be assessed.

D. S. Tait and H. W. Davey appear for Mrs. Zillinsky and F. C. Elliott for the defendant.

Dr. Thomas McPherson described plaintiff's injuries after the accident. They included, he said, a fracture of the breastbone, contusions and bruises. A shock such as Mrs. Zillinsky received might have a permanent effect on the nerves of a woman of Mrs. Zillinsky's age. He believed she was thinner than she was before the accident.

Damages of $2,000 and costs were allowed.

PREMIER REACHES OTTAWA ON PEACE RIVER LAND PLAN

Oliver Confers With Federal Government in Request For Return of Grants

Premier Oliver reached Ottawa last night on his mission of securing the return of railway grant lands in this Province to provincial control. He will go into conference immediately with members of the Federal Government, explaining to them that British Columbia desires these railway grant lands so that they may be used to subsidize the construction of a railway into the Peace River area.

On his arrival in the Capital yesterday the Premier gave out a statement declaring that this Province could present a strong case for the return of the railway grant lands. He asserted that British Columbia had contributed more than a fair share to the cost of the Canadian Pacific Railway project through these land donations and should be compensated by the return of the grants made then.

Mr. Oliver expects to be in Ottawa for a week or more explaining these matters to members of the Cabinet there. He plans to return here by way of Edmonton so that he may consult with Premier Brownlee and the Alberta Government, with which he is anxious to co-operate in solving the transportation problems of the Peace River country.

PARFITT BROTHERS AWARDED CONTRACT

Will Build New Fairfield United Church at Cost of About $25,000

Parfitt Brothers Limited have received the contract for the building of the new Fairfield United Church.

The church property at the corner of Fairfield Road and Moss Street will be used for the erection of this new structure, which will cost approximately $25,000 to complete. The plans have been prepared by K. B. Spurgin. The old church building is to be retained as a gymnasium.

The Young People's Organization of the Reformed Episcopal Church will be addressed this evening at 8 o'clock by Rev. J. S. Patterson of St. Paul's Church, Victoria West.

RAIN PASSES CITY AND SWEEPS ON TO COAST OF MAINLAND

Weather Clears Here While Welcome Showers Move Across Gulf of Georgia

But Drought Has Not Returned Yet; Precipitation Far Below Average

Rain which is falling in the north of the Province and in the interior apparently is determined to pass up the southern end of Vancouver Island for the time being at least, officials of the Gonzales Observatory stated today after they had scanned their weather maps.

Fair weather without rain was predicted for Victoria, while on the mainland rain is expected. Already rain is falling along the northern coast and last night heavy showers swept from the coast far into the interior. Light showers only fell here last night, disappointing farmers and forestry officials who are anxious for a soaking downpour.

HOPES FOR MOISTURE

F. Napier Denison, superintendent of the Observatory, held out hope today that the present fair weather will not mean a lengthy drought like that experienced last year. There is nothing on the weather maps to indicate that the Island may expect prolonged dry weather now, he said.

BELOW AVERAGE

Rainfall so far this month has been far below normal, Mr. Denison explained. Only .49 of an inch has fallen, while the average precipitation for the month is 1.26. It is most improbable that this average will be reached by the end of April. Since January, 1925, Victoria and district has fallen twelve inches below average. Of this about seven inches was caused by the long drought of last Summer and the remainder by the exceptionally dry weather since the first of this year.

MAYOR PENDRAY CONFIDENT WILL SEE ACTION HERE

Winnipeg Firm and Panama Pacific Interests Expected to Get Together

Union of Forces Would Mean Immediate Start at Ogden Point on Operating Basis

He had every hope of seeing action shortly on the elevator project at Ogden Point Docks, Mayor Pendray told the Victoria City Council last night. The Mayor's announcement was made when he declined the proffered honor of a position on the delegation the Victoria Chamber of Commerce will send to the Foreign Trades Conference to be held at Charleston on April 26.

"Much as I realize the importance of the Foreign Trades Conference, and am grateful for the opportunity afforded me to go as one of Victoria's delegates to the assembly I feel that this is not the time for me to leave the city," said His Worship.

"I might explain that for the last few months I have not lost sight of the elevator proposition and I think that it is time we were getting some action on a start at the site. I may say that I have seen the head of a large Winnipeg firm, who is now on his way to Victoria to look over the ground, and am very hopeful that through the suggested co-operation of the Panama-Pacific and Winnipeg firms this elevator project will assume shape in the very near future. I am not at liberty to say more at this time, save that I feel it would be a mistake for me to leave the city just at this time," concluded Mayor Pendray.

A warm letter of thanks was proposed to the Chamber of Commerce for the interest shown in the city's welfare and this will be sent forward, coupled with an appreciation of the Chamber's stand on the Foreign Trades Assembly.

TO DECORATE CITY

In a statement issued to-day Mayor Pendray appeals for co-operation in the decoration of the city in honor of the visiting Rotarians, to arrive here Wednesday evening for the district convention.

FOREST FIRES GRAVE MENACE TO PROSPERITY

F. A. MacDonald Tells Kiwanis Club of Campaign to Lessen Timber Destruction

Forest Fires Ate up Equivalent to All Victoria and Vancouver in 1925.

The urgent need of popular support for forest protection measures was laid before the Kiwanis Club to-day by F. A. MacDonald of the Provincial Forestry Department, in the course of an appeal to the Kiwanians for active support to the Government's measures.

President B. C. Nicholas, when introducing the speaker, stressed the large amount of damage traceable to carelessness and called attention to the education campaign of "Save the Forests Week."

Mr. MacDonald showed that the Crown lands have great stands of young timber from which the lumber needs of the coming generation must be supplied. These growing forests are greatly endangered by carelessness as to fire.

The fire hazard is very great in the southern forest areas which bear Douglas fir, especially in times of drought, such as are in prospect this year. Mr. MacDonald showed that the areas contiguous to Victoria and Vancouver are most in danger from natural causes and in addition suffer much from carelessness by tourists.

Most of the damage was last year caused by a few great fires, the fire-fighters getting the great majority under control by prompt action.

The cost of fire-fighting was last year $615,000 to the fire-protection funds of the Province, and in addition the timber owners railways and other agencies expended $133,000 in the year 1925.

POTENTIAL CITIES BURNT

Mr. MacDonald gave striking figures as to the value of the timber destroyed last year, showing that Cameron's great mill in Victoria could operate at capacity for thirty years on the timber destroyed, which would replace every residence in Victoria and Vancouver or double the entire Provincial timber export for the year, 600,000,000 feet.

He gave a summary of the fire-fighting methods and equipment used by the Forest Protection Service. Nearly a thousand organized volunteers aid the Department, and a fleet of launches are in constant service during the season.

BAD HABITS

"The worst feature of the majority of these fires is that they are caused by thoughtlessness. The average citizen throws his cigarette down in the street, and when in the woods does the same thing. For perhaps three hundred and forty days no harm follows, but the other twenty days conditions may be such as to cause hundreds of thousands of dollars of loss," said Mr. MacDonald.

He showed that in normal years the natural growth is greater than the combined fire loss and timber cutting, but in such years as 1922 or 1925 the fire loss was much the greater, with a prospect even more serious ahead of the present year.

BOTANICAL GARDEN

P. R. Leighton, of the Victoria Gardeners' Association, outlined proposals for construction of a botanical garden in Beacon Hill Park, where all types of native plants can be grown. The parks committee of the City Council had offered to set aside a suitable area in the park and supply free water. The Gardeners' Association was approaching many organizations for support, and would welcome delegates to the organization meeting to be called shortly.

NEW AUTO DUTIES DECLARED LOWEST

R. S. McLaughlin Says Canada's Charges Now Below All Other Countries

Oshawa, Ont., April 20—In a statement to-day, R. S. McLaughlin, president of the General Motors Corporation of Canada, declared Canada, under the new tariff announced last Thursday in the budget speech of Hon. J. A. Robb, has the lowest tariff on motor cars of any country engaged in the industry.

"For example," Mr. McLaughlin said, "in Great Britain, the duty on imported motor cars is 33 1-3 per cent on landed cost. This means that land freight, packing, ocean freight, insurance, etc., is added to the invoice price and duty paid on the whole sum, meaning an actual protection to the British manufacturers of at least forty per cent. To Canada, Great Britain grants a preference of one-third from the above. This formidable duty against foreign cars, while large and important, sinks into insignificance when the real protection which the British manufacturers enjoy in the way of a license tax to operate the car of £1 per hourse power is taken into consideration, which means that to drive a Chevrolet in England, a license tax of roughly $111.78 has to be paid and for a Ford, $116.64. This points out that the manufacturers of small cars in England had no protection at all other than of the necessity for purchasing the licenses, their market would be quite safe for them."

MADE COMPARISONS

Mr. McLaughlin quoted summaires of the motor car tariffs of France, Germany, Italy, the United States, Australia and New Zealand with the object of establishing his view that Canada had the lowest motor car tariff in the world.

Mr. McLaughlin explained why Canadian manufacturers could compete with foreign manufacturers in the markets of the world and yet not sell cars at a much lower price in Canada.

"The answer," he said, "lies altogether in the fact that on any cars exported from Canada there is a customs drawback of ninety-nine per cent of all the duty paid on imported parts used in the manufacture of that car. Not only that, but the five per cent sales tax which the Canadian public had to pay on all cars sold in Canada and the five per cent excise tax, which we have to collect for the Government on cars selling at less than $1,200, and ten per cent on cars selling at over $1,200, is not collectible on cars exported. This means that we are practically on the same footing as the United States in the foreign field, less some disadvantages, owing to the more limited production in this country."

At a mass meeting in Oshawa yesterday afternoon a committee was appointed to arrange a conference, probably on Thursday, with Premier King to present the views of the City of Oshawa and municipalities associating themselves with the city in a protest against the reduction in the duties on automobiles and automobile parts coming in from the United States.

All stores and business offices in Oshawa, Mayor R. D. Preston said, would be closed on Thursday so every one might join the delegation to Ottawa. He hoped it would have the strength of 5,000.

Spring Blizzard Visits Halifax

Halifax, April 20.—A forty-four-mile-an-hour northeast blizzard, which drove a regular midwinter snowfall before it, struck Halifax early this morning and in a few hours robbed the city of every vestige of Spring. Yesterday there were only a few obscure patches of thawing snow in shady spots, but before the majority of citizens awoke to-day the streets had been covered with a deep white mantle, while the gusty wind had piled large drifts in many places. There was not much change, however, in the temperature, which continued about normally chilly for this time of year.

Three liners were reported anchored outside the harbor. They were the Norwegian-American liner Bergenfjord, the Red Cross liner Rosalind and the Scandinavian-American liner Oscar II.

Exactly a year ago to-day Halifax was visited by a similar storm.

HOTEL LOBBY GOSSIP

ROTARY VANGUARD ARRIVES

First of the Rotarians for the Pacific Northwest Rotary convention which will formally open Thursday morning, arrived in Victoria this morning to look things over and get well settled before the big crowd arrives Wednesday night and jams the hotels.

The first single man to arrive was J. R. Horn, a Vancouver Rotarian, and the first married was E. L. Genz of Corvallis Rotary. Mr. Genz brought his wife with him and they are spending a short honeymoon here quietly before the noise and excitement of the convention begins. They are being entertained here by Capt. J. W. Troup. Lloyd Johnson of Eugene, Oregon, and Mrs. Floyd Johnson was the third to arrive and with them was Rotarian Hardy of Eugene, who has been set down as the fourth on the scene. The four who have arrived are all at the Empress Hotel where they announced that they were looking forward to a lively convention.

MAINLANDERS HERE

John Jackson, well known throughout the Province as one of the keenest detectives of Vancouver, is over here to-day with his wife and they are at the Dominion Hotel. He said that he is just looking for enjoyment here, not any criminals.

On an early motor holiday are Mrs. J. W. Chittick and Miss Clara Chittick of Calgary. They are at the Dominion Hotel.

Among the Vancouver people over are Mrs. Mary Ellen Smith, M.P.P., Mrs. E. D. Casseday, S. J. Hatchett, A. R. McFarlane, A. R. Combe, R. P. Gay, W. L. Wright, H. A. Plow, Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Lamprey, Mr. and Mrs. E. Brettell, all at the Empress Hotel; Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Harvie, at the Dominion Hotel; Mr. and Mrs. Morley Hurst, Mrs. J. G. Scott and Mary Stewart, Mrs. F. A. Soar and Mrs. M. R. Elden, at the Hotel Strathcona.

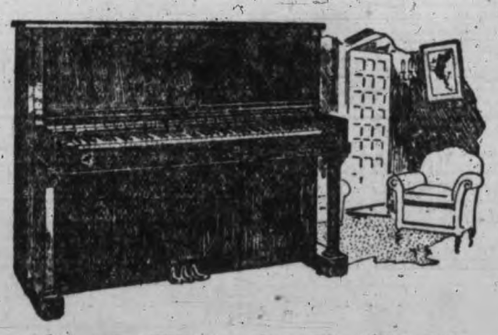
ISLAND FOLK IN TOWN

A. C. Boyd, the timber man is down from Cowichan Lake with his wife and child. They are at the Empress Hotel. Other Island people in town are Mr. and Mrs. C. A. McNaught of Port Alice, Rev. A. Bischlager, Mrs. Bishlager and their child of Duncan, Col. H. L. D. Fordyce of Duncan, Mrs. J. Horochalin of Cobble Hill, A. Campbell and R. Wilcock of Cumberland, who are at the Dominion Hotel; Mrs. McLeod, Miss McLeod and her friend of Sidney, W. J. Walker of Courtenay, F. F. Henderson of Mayne Island, Mr. and Mrs. Bagshaw of Port Washington, Mrs. Simpson of Hope Bay, Miss Bartholomew of Grey Cove, H. W. Sdoet of Port Washington, Mr. and Mrs. M. Horton of Port Alice, who are at the Hotel Strathcona.

Mrs. F. M. Williamson is over from North Vancouver and is at the Dominion Hotel.

From Cranbrook, A. M. Knight has arrived. He is spending a short time at the Dominion Hotel.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Simpson of Seattle is at the Strathcona Hotel. Also there are Mr. and Mrs. Jno. L. Willis of Toronto.



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PAINTERS ASKING INCREASED WAGES

At a mass meeting of Victoria painters held in the Green Block here last night, it was decided to ask an increase of $1 per day. This would bring painters' wages from $5.60 per day to $6.50 per day. Vancouver painters are getting $7 for a day's work.

The carpenters of this city recently asked for an increase of from $6 to $7 per day. The painters are following their example. A special meeting has been called for April 29 in the Green Block to consider this question in its final stages.

RAIL FIGURES SHOW BUSINESS INCREASE

Montreal, April 20.—The gross earnings of the Canadian National Railways during the week ended April 14, 1926, were $4,436,438, as against $3,963,395 during the corresponding period of 1925.

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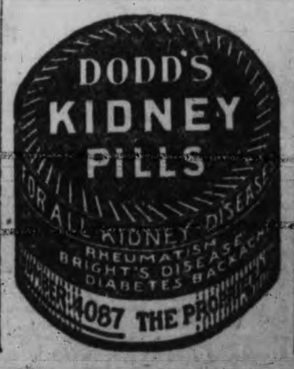

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English Football Team to Tour Canada Best to Ever Leave Motherland

Defence is Formidable, Half-backs Tireless and Attack Very Brilliant

J. A. H. Catton ("Tityrus"), for twenty-five years editor of The Athletic News of London, in writing a series of articles on the team which has been selected by the English Football Association to tour Canada, commencing at Montreal on May 24.

These articles, by such a well known critic, should be of great interest to the sporting public of Canada as Mr. Catton has seen every player in action and has never been afraid of expressing his opinion as he sees it.

Commenting on the players immediately the selection was made public, he says:

"The Football Association have been able to arrange for a very fine party of players to visit the Canadians. It is not an exaggeration to say that this is the strongest side that has ever been selected to visit any distant part of the British Empire and the Dominion of Canada may count itself fortunate to get a combination that is almost of full international strength. Of the eighteen men chosen for this tour no fewer than nine have had honor of playing for England so that the clubs and players of Canada should be presented with a series of object lessons that must tend to develop the cult of the game of soccer from Montreal to Victoria.

"The defence is formidable, the half-backs astute and tireless and the attack positively brilliant. It is easy to construct a team of the highest quality thus: Sewell (goal), Barkas, Keeping (backs), Magee, Healless, Harkus (half-backs), Carr, Jack, Rawlings, Smith and Tunstall. Save for Barkas, Keeping and Harkus every man carries the international stamp and of the others Barkas has assisted Huddersfield to win the league championship. Keeping is the finest young back in England and Harkus is clever and versatile."

Vancouver Sculler Will go East After U.S. Championship

Philadelphia, April 20.—Invitations have been sent crews in Canada, Argentina, Cuba and England to compete in the National Regatta to be held on the Schuylkill River, August 5, 6 and 7, Harry Penn Burke, president of the National Association of Amateur Oarsmen, announced yesterday.

"Canada will be here with its best," he said.

"We have received reports of an eight-oared crew and a sculler coming from Vancouver, and have not entirely given up hope of getting a star sculler from England."

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king of the announcers and sport organization expert who will be the master of ceremonies at the fights at the Arena to-morrow night. As one of the keenest sportsmen in the city Dave is always ready to lend his support to baseball, boxing or any other sport. He was boss of amateur baseball for many years and, although he has resigned the presidency, he is still right behind the boys. He will do the announcing Wednesday.

Golfers Make Good Progress In First Round For Galt Cup

Eight Players Meet in Second Round of Competition This Week at Oak Bay

Play is progressing well in the Galt Cup competition at the Victoria Golf Club. The first round has been completed in all flights and the survivors will get down to the second round this week. Players still in the running for the cup are as follows: Dick Wilson, L. H. Hardie, H. J. Davis, H. Paterson, Major Hogg, J. S. Matterson, Jack Matson and A. C. Watts-Jones.

The results of the first rounds were as follows:

CUP FLIGHT

Dick Wilson defeated Art Beasley 5 and 3.

L. H. Hardie defeated J. W. Ambery 5 and 4.

Harry J. Davis defeated W. E. Cathels 7 and 5.

Hew Paterson won from J. W. Morris by default.

Major Hogg defeated H. H. Smith 6 and 4.

J. S. Matterson defeated P. T. Paul 4 and 2.

Jack Matson defeated Dr. Adams 2 up.

A. C. Watts-Jones defeated Colonel Lightbody 3 and 2.

FIRST FLIGHT

R. A. Buchanan defeated A. M. R. Shaw 4 and 3.

A. S. G. Musgrave defeated Stan Haynes 3 and 1.

Arthur Gore defeated R. H. B. Ker 3 and 2.

J. D. Virtue defeated A. D. King, 3 and 2.

A. T. Gowand defeated Jack Rithet 2 and 1.

H. G. Lawson defeated Dr. Hunter 2 up.

A. J. Fraser defeated R. W. Gibson 4 and 3.

T. O. Mackay defeated Chas. E. Wilson 3 and 2.

SECOND FLIGHT

Ken Raymur defeated H. G. Garrett 6 and 5.

A. R. Green defeated J. H. Wilson 1 up.

Dr. Maunsell defeated W. L. McIntosh 4 and 3.

L. C. Boyd defeated T. E. Lampman 4 and 3.

Captain Mertson defeated Clarke Gamble 5 and 3.

J. M. Hedley defeated R. Musgrave 1 up.

J. Hutchinson defeated Ross Wilson 5 and 4.

J. C. Barnacle defeated R. H. Swinerton 8 and 7.

THIRD FLOOR

W. H. MacInnes defeated Fred Nation 2 and 1.

G. C. Howell and Dr. Baillie to play.

Beau Burdick defeated G. D. Bouton 6 and 4.

R. Baird won from Judge Lampman by default.

Comte Suzannet and C. W. Pangman to play.

A. H. Ford defeated C. C. Tunnard 5 and 4.

H. O. Kirkham and W. Pemberton to play.

Carew Martin defeated Dr. Scott-Moncrieff 4 and 2.

FOURTH FLIGHT

J. V. Scrivener defeated B. S. Hosterman 4 and 2.

J. R. Paton defeated N. F. Ferris 4 and 2.

Dr. Barrett won from C. A. Bramble by default.

Dr. Garesche defeated O. Matson 3 and 2.

GAME CALLED OFF

New Haven, Conn., April 20.—At the request of the management of the Oxford-Cambridge lacrosse team, which was scheduled to meet Yale here on Wednesday, the game has been cancelled. A telegram received from Syracuse, N.Y., stated that some of the men on the visiting team had been called back to England, and that others had been injured, making it impossible for the Englishmen to present a complete team.

Harvey Holliday Has Learned Much Since First Battle Here

Young Vancouver Boxer Who Meets Britton Here To-morrow is Smart Lad

Both Principals in Main Event at Arena Will Work Out This Evening

Jack Allen, the well known Vancouver promoter and boxing manager, has arrived in town accompanied by his protege, Harvey Holliday, who is to box in the main event of Wednesday evening's boxing show at the Arena.

Holliday immediately went into training and worked out at the Metropolis, with Albie Davies, the local flyweight. Holliday certainly has improved greatly since his last appearance in this city, and his stlye to-day very much resembles that of Vic. Foley, the ex-bantamweight champion of Canada. Holliday will work out again this evening at the same place when Danny Pascoe, Dave Lewis and other local boxers will be on hand to don the gloves. To-night's workout will start at 7.30 o'clock, and the fans are invited to attend.

Allen figures that his protege is going to have a tough battle on Wednesday evening as Britton, his opponent, is a young, tough boy, who has had plenty of experience and has earned for himself an enviable record by beating some of the best boys on the coast. Allen has his eye on the Canadian, and ultimately the world's title for Holliday, and he figures that all of the contenders on the coast will have to be eliminated before he can issue challenges at the big lights in the division.

Britton accompanied by his manager, Melville Lang, arrived in town to-day from Everett, where they are temporarily located, and will indulge in a light workout at the Yates Street quarters to-night.

All of the other participants on the balance of the card are rounding into excellent condition, and Matchmaker Davies is of the opinion that the card will measure up to the best staged in the past. All of the bouts are in the light classes which indicates speed and action.

Fulford Hoop Team Surprise C.P.S. With Fine Form and Win

Fulford Harbor, April 20.—On Saturday the Victoria C.P.S. basketball team, holders of the Wenger Cup, visited Fulford Harbor to meet defeat at the hands of the local boys in a well contested game. Both teams were in good form. The game was considered by the Fulford fans the best of the season, and it was greatly to the credit of the local boys to win by 27 to 23.

The C.P.S. junior team also played a splendid game with the Ganges boys and succeeded in their efforts by 16 to 11. The Ganges team put up a good fight but fell down with their shooting.

Both Fulford and Ganges now have real good teams and next season should see some good games on the Island.

The line-up and scores were as follows:

Fulford Harbor—Jim Akerman 4, Ray Morris 10, Art Hepburn 8, V. Douglas 3, T. Isherwood 2.

Victoria C.P.S.—M. Norton 6, C. Rutledge 11, S. Dowds 6, T. Woolridge, S. Mills, C. Harwood.

Referee—D. Newell.

Ganges—S. Wagg 2, C. Wagg 3, Joe Akerman, T. Jarvis 4, N. Young 2.

C.P.S. junior team—Storey 2, J. Bowcott 6, C. Reid 2, D. Newell 4, S. Boacker 2.

Referee—F. Denny.

Carpet Bowling

The Willows Carpet Bowling Club held a closing evening presentation of prizes last week at its club quarters, fair grounds. There was quite a good attendance. A 500 drive was held, the winners being: Ladies, Mrs. G. Vallance; men's, Alex. McMullan; booby prizes, Mrs. Patterson and J. McMillan. Refreshments were served by the ladies and was preceded by a toast in Scotch by Mr. McKenzie. After the refreshments, songs were sung by Mrs. McKenzie and Jefferies, accompanied at the piano by Bob Robertson.

J. Leiper presented a handsome cup to the winner of the City League singles championship who proved to be Alex. McMillan; Mr. Patterson presenting the runner up, G. Leiper, with a nice silver salad fork, donated by G. Vallance. Mr. Hislop, president of the Willows Club, presented prizes to the club winners, J. Leiper and A. McMillan; singles competition winners, and J. Harvey and W. F. Hislop and W. Littlejohn, and P. Oliver, winners of the doubles.

One other presentation was made, it being a sterling silver cigarette case, nicely engraved, to B. D. Carley, as a token of appreciation from the members of the W. Team, who won the "Byng" Shield in the City League, for the handsome gift of medals he gave to the winners.

The club has disbanded until October, when carpet bowling will be in full swing again.

FOOTBALL MEETING

The Lower Island Football Association will hold its annual general meeting next Monday evening in the Y.M.C.A., commencing at 8 o'clock.

Prominent Boxer Dies After Bout

Milwaukee, Wis., April 20—Clever Sencio, Philippine boxer, died here this morning.

The boxer, who was defeated by Bud Taylor, of Terre Haute, Ind., in a ten-round bout here last night, was taken to the emergency hospital this morning. Hospital authorities said he was dead when examined for admittance. Both Sencio and Taylor passed the physical examination before the bout and appeared to be in fine condition. During the fight Sencio seemed tireless, until the opening of the seventh round, when Taylor assumed the aggressive with some telling blows.

In the ninth round, during a rally Taylor clipped him on the chin with a right-hand punch. The blow did not floor Sencio, but he was "out on his feet" for about half the round. During the time he was hit several times, but did not fall.

At the close of the bout, Sencio reeled to his corner, where restoratives were administered. He did not react immediately and it was necessary to help him from the ring.

His handlers took him to a hotel. A physician was called, shortly before he was removed to the emergency hospital.

Captain of Detectives Harry McCory said the usual investigation would be made. Taylor and his handlers returned to Chicago last night, police said, and so far as they could determine there was nothing irregular about the bout.

Sencio was hailed as a second Pancho Villa. He is about the same build as the late flyweight champion and has fought some great fights in the South. He had a great future and was in great demand everywhere. He met Fidel LaBarba, the new flyweight champion, in a twelve-round no-decision bout. Sencio is the second Filipino boxer to have his career cut short in the United States. Pancho Villa died following an operation for an infected tooth.

CANADIAN RUNNER WINS BOSTON MARATHON IN RECORD TIME WITH 400-YARD LEAD ON A. STENROOS

Boston, Mass., April 20—A Canadian youth of eighteen, running his first marathon race, set a new world record to-day. John C. Miles, of Sydney Mines, N.S., was first home in the thirtieth Boston A.A. marathon in a field of eighty-eight runners which included Albin Stenroos, of Finland, Olympic champion, and Clarence Demar, of Melrose, four times winner of the event. The winner's time was nearly four minutes under the world's record set by Demar over the same course in 1924.

It was a two-man contest almost from the start. Miles drew away from the field at Natick, five miles from the starting line, pounding along on the heels of Stenroos to Lake Street, five miles from home, and in the final stretch sprinted away to finish 400 yards in the lead.

The Nova Scotian set a pace that forced Stenroos himself to clip one-fifth second off the old world record. Miles's time was 2 hours 25 minutes 40 2-5 seconds. Stenroos covered the twenty-six miles 385 yards in 2.29.40. The old record was 2.29.40 1-5.

The veteran Demar, who won the event in 1911, 1922, 1923 and 1924, was a poor third.

Sons of England Are Hosts to Their Hoop And Football Teams

The White Rose Degree of Lodge Pride of the Island, Sons of England, were the hosts at a banquet given to the football and basketball S.O.E. teams last night at the K. of P. Hall. President F. Tupman was chairman and proposed the toast of "The King." Bro. Jeune proposed the toast to "The Football Team," paying tribute to the sportsmanship of its officers and members, to which Bro. Shanks, manager, responded. Bro. Laurie Gray proposed the toast to "The Basketball Teams," to which Bro. Blair, manager, responded. Bro. Tupman presented the Spencer challenge cup to the "B" basketball team manager, and individual cups to the members, also photos to both "B" and "C" teams, donated by lodges Pride of the Island and Alexandra, the "C" team being runners-up in their division, losing the cup by only two points.

Bro. Nute, the coach, told the brothers present that it had been a pleasure to work with and for such a splendid lot of men representing the S.O.E. They were clean sports and played the game. There had been no friction and the teams were fortunate in having for their manager Bro. Teddy Blair and Secretary Bro. Smillie.

Bro. Smillie proposed the toast of "The Basketball Association" and Mr. Hole, president, responded. Songs were given by Bro. Cobbett and selections by the orchestra.

Bro. Tupman proposed a toast to "The Ladies of the City Temple Who Had Put on so Fine a Banquet." Mrs. Parsons, president, responded in a neat little speech. After the banquet the members' wives and friends had a jolly time dancing to Jack Pullen's S.O.E. orchestra.

Billiards

The games to be played in the Inter-club Billiard League this week will be as follows:

Tuesday—Garrison Sergeants' Mess vs. Veterans of France.

Thursday—Canadian Legion vs. Army and Navy Veterans.

Friday—Great War Veterans vs. Fifth Regiment.

During the subsequent week the same teams play return matches with each other.

The games in the league played last week resulted as follows: Garrison defeated Army and Navy 600 to 541, Fifth Regiment were defeated by the Canadian Legion by 600 to 391, and Great War Veterans defeated the Veterans of France by 536 to 520.

Football Season To Wind up Around Laden Festive Board

May 1 has been fixed as the date for a banquet to be held by the Lower Island Football Association for the presentation of cups and medals won by players during the past season. All soccer fans are invited to attend and may obtain tickets from members of the board.

Sisler's Browns At Last Win Game And Now Are In the Race

Despite Frigid Weather St. Louis Annexed Game From Ty Cobb's Tigers

Groves Pitches in Form and Wins For Philadelphia; Simmons Hits Homerun

New York, April 20—George Sisler's St. Louis Browns pennant hopes in the pre-season baseball predictions have won a game after five straight defeats and now may be considered as "in the race." Through a chilly afternoon, Milton Gaston, recently of the New York Yankees, hurled excellent ball yesterday and defeated the Detroit Tigers, allowing them only five hits.

Another pitching accomplishment of note came from the left arm of Bob Groves of the Philadelphia Athletics. Groves held the Red Sox to three hits and won the morning game at Boston. Groves had good control, something which he lacked last season.

Huntzinger of the Cardinals, former Giant, traveled fourteen innings against the Chicago Cubs, permitting eight hits, but lost in the fourteenth. Wilson, former teammate in New York, found him for three of the blows. The score was 5-4.

McGraw's efforts at Philadelphia gave the Dodgers their second straight victory over the Phillies 4-2. He yielded only five hits and Wayland Dean, former New York rookie. Errors helped brooklyn to win.

The world champion Pirates gathered only four hits off Carl Mays, and the Reds beat the Pirates 2-1.

HAMMER FORMER TEAM-MATE

The Giants pounded their former teammate, Rosy Ryan, and defeated the Braves 8-3. Lindstrom had a perfect day at bat.

The Red Sox went back in the afternoon and gained revenge against the Athletics, with Ruffing in the box, 2-1.

Simmons of the Athletics hit a homer in the morning game, the only man in the league outside of the Yankee gold to accomplish the feat since the season started.

The Cleveland Indians drove Blakenship of the White Sox from the mound and captured the game 5-1 with another erroless performance.

Cold weather caused the Yankees and Senators to postpone their game.

NATIONAL LEAGUE

At Cincinnati	R.	H.	E.
Pittsburg	1	4	2
Cincinnati	2	7	1

Batteries—Kremer, Oldham and Smith; C. Mays and Picinich.

At New York	R.	H.	E.
Boston	3	10	1
New York	8	13	8

Batteries—Ryan, Hearn and Taylor; Barnes and Snyder.

At Philadelphia	R.	H.	E.
Brooklyn	4	6	1
Philadelphia	2	5	4

Batteries—McGraw and O'Neill; Dean and Wilson.

AMERICAN LEAGUE

At Boston, first game—	R.	H.	E.
Philadelphia	3	7	1
Boston	1	3	0

Batteries—Groves and Cochrane; Wingfield and Bischoff.

Second game—	R.	H.	E.
Philadelphia	1	8	0
Boston	2	6	0

Batteries—Gray, Baumgartner, Pate and Cochrane; Ruffing and Bischoff.

At Chicago	R.	H.	E.
Cleveland	5	13	0
Chicago	1	6	1

Batteries—Smith and C. Sewell; Blankenship, Leverett, Conally and Schalk.

At Detroit	R.	H.	E.
St. Louis	4	7	0
Detroit	1	5	3

Batteries—Gaston and Dixon; Wells, Barfoot, Gibson and Bassler.

At New York—Game with Washington postponed, cold weather.

COAST LEAGUE

San Francisco, April 19—The Seals nosed out the Missions, 6-5 yesterday after a hotly contested game which threatened to go into extra innings. Tied at five runs each in the eighth, the Seals molded a pair of hits into a winning run in the opening half of the last frame.

	R.	H.	E.
Missions	5	15	0
San Francisco	6	11	2

Batteries—Williams, Lang, Moudy and Yelle; Ludolph, Eckert and Murphy, Whitney, Wolters.

(Only one game played.)

Los Angeles Hockey Pros Win Fifth and Last Game From N.Y.

Los Angeles, April 20.—The Los Angeles professional ice hockey team defeated the New York Americans 5-3 here last night in the last game of a series between the two. The locals took a lead in the first period and held it throughout.

Of the series, New York won three games, Los Angeles two and one was tied.

LINKLATER HAS 195

P. M. Linklaters score was omitted from the results of the qualifying round of the Uplands Golf Club championship published yesterday. He had 95 in the morning round and 100 in the afternoon eighteen, giving him 195 for the thirty-six holes.

Horse at 300 to 1 Surprises Fans at Paris Race Track

Paris, April 20.—Patat, a trainer who was reinstated a short time ago after several years' suspension, made a killing at the St. Cloud track with an outsider, Murrols. The horse ran away from a field of nineteen in a mile and a half race to win at odds of 300 to 1.

Jordan River Boys Prove Too Fast For Vancouver Quintette

Rival B.C. Electric Squads Play Interesting Game; Season at River Closes

Jordan River, April 20.—A very successful basketball season ended at Jordan River on Saturday night, when the team from the B.C. Electric head office, Vancouver, paid their annual visit.

A large party of supporters made the trip with them, and the game created a great deal of interest locally, as the river boys had been defeated in Vancouver, earlier in the season, and the result of this game was doubtful. There was, therefore, a large and enthusiastic crowd present when the teams lined up. A number of officials of the company were interested spectators. Among those in attendance were Mr. and Mrs. Carpenter and Mr. and Mrs. Rogers, Vancouver, and Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Tripp and Mr. and Mrs. Horsey, Victoria.

The Jordan River boys early showed superiority, but the game was keen and cleanly contested throughout. The visitors, however, had to admit defeat, being on the short end of a 42-25 score when the final whistle blew. After the game the party adjourned to the dance hall, which was prettily decorated for the occasion.

A very enjoyable super and dance was thoroughly appreciated by all present. The Jordan River orchestra supplied excellent music, which contributed much to the success of the evening.

Fletcher Will Lead Tillicum Cricketers' Practice Next Week

"Doug" Fletcher, popular captain of the Tillicums' Wednesday cricket eleven, was re-elected to that position for the third successive year at the annual meeting of the club held last night in the Tillicums Athletic Club rooms. E. H. Pendray was appointed vice-captain and W. N. Armstrong secretary. The team will start practice next week, and expect to have about the same team out as last year. An others who wish to have a tryout will be welcomed.

SONS' LACROSSE MEETING

The Sons of Canada Lacrosse Club will meet this evening at 7.30 o'clock in the new Sons of Canada Hall, View Street. All members are asked to attend this meeting, as it is an important one. Members are reminded that membership fees are now payable.

TAYLOR BEAT SENCIO

Milwaukee, April 20.—In a sensational ten-round battle Bud Taylor of Terre Haute, Ind., beat Clever Sencio, the midget Filipino aspirant to the flyweight crown, here last night, capturing the honors in the tenth after Sencio had held him even for nine rounds.

Rennies Will Carry On Their Argument With Kirkhams

Wednesday League Clubs Will Try and Settle Their Soccer Fate To-morrow

Drew Previously in Hayward Cup Series; Hudson's Bay Meet Tillicums

One semi-final game and one first round game of the Hayward Cup soccer competition will be played to-morrow by the Wednesday League elevens. Due to their 1-1 draw two weeks ago Rennie & Taylors and Kirkhams are booked to meet again for a decision.

The other tussle scheduled will be between the Tillicums and Hudson's Bay. The former licked the Navy two weeks ago for the right to enter the semi-finals. They will try conclusions with the Bays for the right to enter the final. The departmentals are making their first appearance in this competition having drawn a bye for the first round.

DETERMINE FINALISTS

Next week, the winners of the game between Kirkhams and the Hudson's Bay will stack up against the Garrison. The winners of that match and the victor of the Tillicums-Bay affair will be the finalists for the Hayward cup.

The Tillicums and Bays will play at the Royal Athletic Park with McMillan as referee while Kirkhams will take on the Bakers at Beacon Hill with Hewison handling the whistle. The kick-offs will be at 2.30 o'clock.

Soccer for Saturday in the senior division will consist of an exhibition game to be played at the Royal Athletic Park between two selected teams labelled the "Blues" and "Stripes." On the showing of the players in this game selections will be made for the team to face the English eleven which is touring the continent and which will be in Victoria on June 16.

The following players will represent the "Blues" and "Stripes" on Saturday, with Alcock as referee.

Blues—Weir (United Services); Dunn (Wests) and Mesher (Esquimalt); Shanks (S.O.E.), Peden (Wests) and Hay (Esquimalt); Connorton (S.O.E.), Jno. Watt (Esquimalt), Coulter (United Services), Warren and Davis (Esquimalt). Reserves, Holman (S.O.E.) Inglis (James Island), Hawkes (United Services) and Clark (James Island). Manager, W. McDuff (Esquimalt).

Stripes—Rodgers (James Island); Joe Watt (Esquimalt) and Whyte (United Services); Hosmer (Esquimalt), Robb (James Island) and Robinson (United Services; Cummings (United Services) Mulcahy (Wests), Tom Watt (Esquimalt), Quainton and Thomas (S.O.E.). Reserves, Nichol (Esquimalt), Allen (United Services), Popham (Wests) and Stewart (Esquimalt), Manager, Dick Shanks, (S.O.E.)

Rennie and Taylors will line up to-morrow as follows: :Lomas; Newman and Hay; Rowan, McKinnon and Tupman; Hawkes, Speak, Turner, Stewart and Nex.

Costly Fire in Home of Pittsburg Hockey

Pittsburg, April 20.—Duquesne Garden, home of the Pittsburg Pirates, National Hockey League team, was damaged by fire early to-day to the extent of $30,000. The fire was confined to the ground floor, where the skating rink is located.

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Port Angeles, April 20—Firemen here yesterday found the body of George E. Scott, a tailor, on a bed in a room he had rented. He had suffocated. Smoke was pouring from a mattress set on fire by a cigarette.

He was unable to bend his back

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VICTORIA AND SAANICH VOTE TO AID FARMER

Practical Scheme Found For Reduction in Irrigation Bills

Development of Agricultural Areas of Its Neighbor Will Help City

Victoria and Saanich marched a step closer together when by a unanimous vote the City Council last night affirmed the signing of an agreement with its neighbor giving a practical form of relief to the agriculturist in the reduction of his water rates on excess consumption.

Saanich will be asked, as an integral part of the agreement, to file with the City the proposed scale of charges it will make to its consumers, so that the city has written evidence for its records that its intent, that of irregational relief to Saanich farmers, has been carried out in full.

In reaching the agreement, which now awaits only ratification by Saanich, the benefitting party, and the approval by the City of the Saanich retail charges, the City was urged by the thought that Saanich is among its very largest water consumers, and that any practical form of relief given to the great agricultural community at its door would reflect to the mutual benefit of both comporations. The city has already taken the same stand in regard to agriculturists in Metchosin and Colwood areas.

The terms of the provisional agreement with Saanich, which will if ratified come into effect on April 1 for one year, are that Saanich pay the City at the rate of ten cents per 1,000 gallons for the first 18,000,000 gallons of water used each month; that for the next 10,000,000 gallons, that is, up to 28,000,000 gallons in all, Saanich will receive from the city a discount of twenty per cent. on the overplus, paying at the rate of eight cents per 1,000 gallons for the excess; the balance, over 28,000,000 gallons, will be charged at the rate of about 7 cents, or a thirty per cent discount on the overplus.

What Saanich is asked to do to fall in with the only provision the City makes in regard to this agreement, is to file a schedule of retail charges which will show the city that its discount provision for large water use will be handed along to the farmer, to benefit him in his fields.

Mayor Pendray expressed every confidence that Saanich would meet this requirement in the spirit it is proposed. The water agreement is the result of two amicable conferences between City and Saanich officials in which both sides showed a willingness to fall into line in giving practical encouragement to the growers.

POLICE HURT IN RIOTS IN INDIA

Madars, India, April 20.—Serious rioting which grew out of agricultural disputes occurred at Satyamangalam, fifty miles southwest of here. Six policemen were badly injured and a number of rioters were arrested.

Order finally was restored and the authorities have forbidden gatherings of more than four persons.

DANISH AIRMAN FLIES IN CHINA

Shanghai, April 20.—Lieut. Botved, Danish trainscontinental flier, who is making a flight from Copenhagen to Tokio, landed safely yesterday near Ninghai, about 150 miles south of Shanghai. Botved had been reported missing. He arrived at Canton Saturday and left there Sunday for Shanghai and had been reported over Foochow, 375 miles from Shanghai, at 2.20 o'clock Sunday afternoon.

COUNCIL APPROVES BOTANICAL GARDEN PLAN AT CITY PARK

Unique Collection of Native Plants of B.C. to be Set Out at Beacon Hill

Botanical gardens at Beacon Hill to feature the plant life native to British Columbia were sanctioned by the City Council with enthusiasm last night. The idea is that of the Victoria and District Gardeners' Association, who undertake to foster the collection of British Columbia plants.

The city agrees to set aside a generous portion of ground at Beacon Hill Park, near Goodacre Lake, as a special preserve for the floral exhibit. Alderman Marchant, chairman of the parks committee, explained the scheme, and found ready favor for all that is saked of the city in this connection.

Grants to regular charities were the feature of the finance committee's report. The sum of $300 will be given to the B.C. Potato Show on a dollar for dollar basis with the contribution of other municipalities. The initial steps were taken towards the exemption of the Second Church of Christ, Scientist, 225 Courtney Street, from taxation. The Chinese Consolidated Benevolent Association will receive a grant in the sum of their taxes, namely, $255.94. The Victoria Seamen's Institute will receive $150 if 1925 taxes are paid up. The council made an advance of $400 to the Children's Aid Society, and set down a scale of advances to be maintained throughout the year. A grant of $150 was made to the Victoria and District Gardeners' Association.

The third group to congratulate the city fathers on the reduction in the 1926 tax rate is the Victoria Women's Institute, which last night conveyed a warm letter of appreciation to the Mayor and aldermen for the budget cuts of this year.

In his monthly report for March Dr. Arthur G. Price, Medical Health Officer for the city, gave vital statistics as follows: Births 61, deaths 58, marriages 22. Infant mortality, for the extremely low rate of which Victoria holds the palm in all Canada it is claimed, showed two deaths in March among infants under one year, and a ratio of 23.5 per 1,000 births for the first three months of the year.

Alderman E. S. Woodward, who is the second member of the council to "go on the air" over CFCT, the Victoria broadcast station, was gently chided last night on his initial effort. The alderman had spoken somewhat fearlessly on a very contentious subject. Alderman Clearihue was the first to break into the theatre of the air by a talk on "The British Empire." Alderman Woodward chose "Vaccination" as his subject.

Formal by-laws given first readings without change last night included the expenditure by-law, the tax by-law, the boulevard tax by-law, the cluster light tax by-law, and one to ratify the separate naming of Alpha Street and Alpha Terrace.

RAILROADS BLAMED FOR COAL TROUBLES

Washington, April 20.—A railroad "conspiracy" headed by W. W. Atterbury, president of the Pennsylvania Railroad, is forcing the bituminous coal industry of the United States into bankruptcy, according to Philip Murray, vice-president of the United Mine Workers of America.

Opposing arbitration proposals for the industry, Mr. Murray, who stated his views yesterday to the House commerce committee at a hearing on coal legislation, assailed "any plan for government intrusion that would take from the miner his right of self-determination," and launched an attack against Mr. Atterbury.

"General Atterbury asserts the railroads are going to force coal mine wages downward," he said, "and his plan is nothing short of execution of a conspiracy that dictates coal prices. He is opposed to coal mine wages compatible with American living standards."

OVERDEVELOPMENT EXISTS

Success of the railroads in "dictation of ruinous coal prices" was made possible, said Mr. Murray, by the 100 per cent overdevelopment in the soft coal industry. He declared the bituminous operators, instead of accepting the challenge of the railroads, were asking labor to accept wage reductions. Mr. Murray said that in the bituminous industry "cutthroat competition has developed," dissipating large pools of capital, wrecking mining communities and demoralizing the basic structure of the industry.

Union miners, he said, would not object to creation of a federal fact finding commission provided the miners were given ample representation and "the facts gathered are to be used to eliminate uneconomic and unscientific freight rates, curb railroad conspiracies, ascertain operators' profits and show the exact relationship between producing companies and selling agencies."

Abrogation of the Jacksonville wage agreement with the miners was charged among others by the witness to the Pittsburg Coal Company, in which he said Secretary of the Treasury Mellon was financially interested.

Land Grant For P.G.E. Explained

Vancouver, April 20.—Particulars of the nature of the land involved in the 16,000,000-acre tract set aside by the Legislature of British Columbia to be used in making land grants for the completion of the Pacific Great Eastern Railway were given to Division 1 Liberal Association here last evening by J. Edward Sears, president of the Association.

The 16,000,000 acres were not all to be given away, he said, but only an amount not exceeding 20,000 acres per mile of railway constructed or to be constructed. Only a total of 9,500,000 acres was applicable to the line between Vancouver and Prince George, the remainder being reserved for the construction of a line into the Peace River district, he stated.

JUDGE GARY HINTS HE MAY RETIRE FROM STEEL SOON

Man Who Built Greatest Corporation Says Must Say "Good-bye" Some Time

Organization in Good Shape For Future But Not For Bigger Dividends Now

New York, April 20—In an address which many believe may have been his valedictory as chairman of the United States Steel Corporation, Elbert H. Gary late yesterday told stockholders that the world's greatest industrial company, despite its huge surplus of more than $500,000,000, was not yet in a position to distribute dividends with a lavish hand.

Recounting his twenty-five years of stewardship, which has spanned the full life of the corporation, Mr. Gary outlined the steady growth in the financial strength of the United States Steel, assuring stockholders that the management had "carefully built up an organization and established plants which will insure protection and advancement to the interests of the stockholders, and this without detriment to the public welfare."

MAY HAVE TO SAY GOOD-BYE"

A hint of Mr. Gary's possible retirement, which has been rumored in Wall Street since early this year, came when the veteran chairman concluded:

"While we are all strong and vigorous to-day, yet we know that in the natural course of events, it will probably soon be time for some of us to say 'good bye'".

At another point in his address, he remarked that 'If these were the last utterances of your chairman concerning the affairs of the corporation, he would, in behalf of the holders of the securities of the United States Steel Corporation, express to its subsidiaries and their officers and employees, words of cordial thanks and grateful appreciation for their high tone, thoughtful and successful work pertaining to the operation of the properties in their care."

After the meeting he declined to enlarge on his remarks, although there was an evident undercurrent of feeling among stockholders that he had prepared the way of his retirement. When the twenty-fifth anniversary of the founding of the steel corporation was celebrated in February, the names of Myron C. Taylor, a director, and of Nathan L. Miller, general counsel for the corporation, were prominently mentioned as possible sucessors to Mr. Gary if he relinquished the chairmanship.

In the face of keen disappointment on the part of several stockholders over the failure to receive a "silver dividend,' and scattered opposition from others who objected to its conservative policies. Mr. Gary received a remarkable personal tribute. The formal resolution, ratifying the past year's action of the management and directors, was unanimously approved by the vote of 1,797,282 preferred shares and 2,329,923 common shares represented at the meeting. Many stockholders, even those who have clamored for higher dividends for many years, expressed their personal appreciation of "Judge" Gary's services.

NEW RURAL CREDIT PLAN IS CRITICIZED

Winnipeg, April 20.—Commenting on the outline of the rural credit scheme proposed by the Federal Government, A. E. Darby of the economic research department of the Canadian Council of Agriculture, said the council's recommendation for a Federal guarantee of the farm loan bonds apparently had been rejected, and he thought the cost of money loaned might easily be increased thereby. He said also that the centralized administration might also tend to increase costs.

Pointing out that the Council of Agriculture had passed a resolution in Regina last February embodying the general principles which it believed ought to govern the proposed legislation, Mr. Darby said:

"As far as one can tell without having the actual text of the bill, some important differences exist between the Government's proposals and the ideas of the Council of Agriculture. There is the question of the Federal Government guarantee of the farm loan bonds which it is proposed to issue. The council feels strongly something of this sort is necessary to give assurance the money is being obtained at the lowest possible rate of interest. In the United States the farm loan bonds are exempt from taxation. No one would propose that Canada should imitate the United States in that respect, but a Federal guarantee would serve the same purpose in Canada by reducing to some extent the rate of taxation."

Installation of Moose Officers

On Friday evening last the installation of officers of Victoria Lodge 1390, Loyal Order of Moose, took place, the installing officer being C. E. Copeland, past dictator.

The following were installed: Past dictator, W. D. Taylor; dictator, Dr. C. B. Moss; vice-dictator, R. H. Lott; prelate, J. L. Jones; secretary, J. F. Pearce; treasurer, A. J. Stevenson; trustee, R. Taylor; sergeant-at-arms, E. V. McIntyre; outer guard, E. J. Monk; lodge physician, Dr. Howard Miller. The inner guard, J. E. Ellis, absent through unforeseen circumstances, will be installed later. A past dictator's jewel was presented to the retiring dictator, W. D. Taylor, by C. F. Bennett of the Supreme Lodge of Mooseheart, he being on hand to give a talk on the Junior Order of Moose.

Three members of Friday Harbor Lodge were also in attendance in the persons of Messrs. Roark, Graveson and White for the purpose of extending an invitation to a picnic at Friday Harbor on June 20.

At the next meeting on May 7 the matter of the eleventh annual convention of the Northwest Moose Association to be held in Vancouver, June 3 and 5, will be dealt with, and an initiation of several new candidates is scheduled.

Invitations and credential forms have been mailed to 120 lodges in British Columbia, Washington, Oregon, Idaho, Montana and Alaska in connection with the convention of the Northwest Moose Association by the local secretary, J. F. Pearce, who is also secretary-treasurer of the association, and it is anticipated that several thousands will gather in Vancouver this year.

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During Next Three Months 84 Cunard Ships Will Depart For Europe

During the next three months in the neighborhood of half a million tourists will sail for the old world, the Cunard Line's flag being in the lead with no less than eighty-four ships, or more than a ship a day for every working day in May, June and July.

The bulk of these sailings—fifty-three in number—will depart from New York, with sixteen sailings in May, twenty in June and seventeen in July. Ten steamers will sail from Boston, while twenty-one will carry their burdens over the St. Lawrence route from Montreal. Generally declared to be through the finest scenery known to the realm of ships. One ship, the Franconia, will sail from San Francisco, calling at Los Angeles and New York on her way to Queenstown and Liverpool.

The new Cunard fleet placed in the Channel service has met with a welcome reception, the bookings being very heavy. The same prosperous conditions prevail in the tourist third cabin, three-quarters of which was sold out early in the year. The best rooms are all engaged on the big three—Berengaria, Aquitania and Mauretania—sailing to Plymouth, Cherbourg and Southampton and likewise on the first-class steamers sailing to Queenstown and Liverpool.

H. P. Borer, general passenger manager of the Cunard Line, New York, in an interview on the subject, said:

"The next three months will find us doing the greatest business of our long career. At least one sailing a day will be our average. Not many decades ago it was one a week, and then not every week in the year. Last year we carried nearly a quarter of a million passengers. We hope to pass this mark this year.

"The old world used to be far across the ocean and the journey was often an uncomfortable one. Now the voyage is too short for many, and the crossing is made amid luxuries not usually found ashore."

C.N.R. EARNINGS

The gross earnings of the Canadian National Railways for the week ended April 7, 1926, were $4,514,256, as compared with $4,069,497 for the corresponding week of 1925, an increase of $444,759 or eleven per cent.

C.N.R. FIGURES TABLED

Ottawa, April 20.—Results for the last year of the operations of the Canadian National Railways are to be tabled in the House to-day by Hon. C. A. Dunning, Minister of Railways. Most of the figures covering the years earnings on the system have already been published.

CONSERVATION OF TIMBER IMPORTANT

E. W. Beatty, Head of C.P.R., Issues Statement on "Save the Forest Week"

Montreal, Que., April 20.—In connection with "save the forest week," held annually from April 17-24, E. W. Beatty, chairman and president of the Canadian Pacific Railway, issued the following statement yesterday at the headquarters of the company:

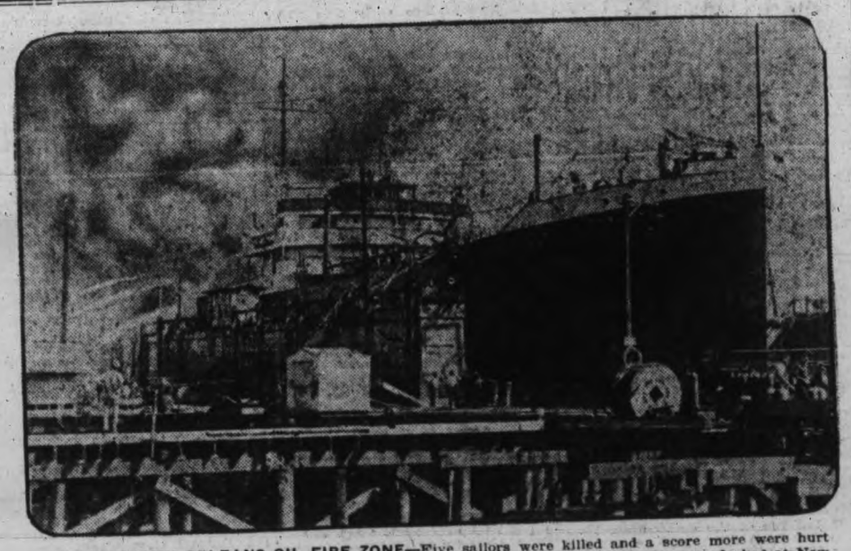
"The conservation of the country's natural resources in line with their industrial development is of paramount importance to the Canadian people. Though we have not much more than entered upon our heritage of tremendous production of forest products, the amount of money already employed in this branch of industry is well over $5,000,000. Canada's future prosperity will to some extent be governed by the way in which the present generation practices wise conservation of her forest wealth. We must learn by the experiences of older countries that now regret past prodigality in this respect, and in line with the profitable development of our forest consuming industries we must take such measures of conservation and reforestration as will maintain this country's place as one of the world's richest in these resources.

"Many thousands of Canadian citizens now gain their living from the lumber and kindred industries, and such precautions as will prevent fire wastage are imperatively necessary for the common welfare of Canada. The railways and the forest-working industries do all they can to further this cause, but the immense sums of money they annually spend for that purpose cannot save the forests of Canada from unnecessary wasteful destruction unless the general public understands the full significance of these losses and takes an intelligent and active interest in conservation measures."

Coolidge Supports New Canal Plan

Washington, April 20—President Coolidge has taken a hand in the Lakes-to-the-Gulf controversy and advised House Republican leaders he believes this project should be authorized.

Intervention by the President grew out of a conference which Representative William E. Hull of Illinois, leading advocate of the waterway, had with him. It is now considered practically settled the Lakes-to-the-Gulf project will remain in the river and harbor bill and so will the survey of the All-American-New York Canal. Opponents of diversion of water from Lake Michigan are still fighting, however, to prevent an authorization for heavy diversion of water being put into law.



IN THE NEW ORLEANS OIL FIRE ZONE—Five sailors were killed and a score more were hurt when oil tanks on the steamer O. T. Waring took fire and exploded while the ship was docked at New Orleans. Blazing oil covered the water and many who jumped overboard were badly burned. Photo shows the ship at the height of the blaze.

Many Vessels Are Due at Seattle to Load and Discharge

Seattle, April 20.—The Norwegian motorship Tosca, after being overhauled, is to load cargo here and in Tacoma for South American ports.

To load a large shipment of Seattle flour for Central America the French line steamer Notre Dame de Fouvriere is due here Wednesday.

After installing new cargo booms here the steamer West Kasson shifts to Tacoma to load lumber and box shooks for South American ports.

The Swedish motorship Buenos Ayres is due here from Northern European ports May 5, with 2,000 tons of cargo.

The Swedish motorship Innaren is due here May 1 to load lumber for South America.

Bringing 2,400 bales of silk, 350 tons of vegetable oil and 3,000 tons of general Oriental cargo from the Far East, the Shidzuoka Maru is due here April 28.

After shifting to Everett from Tacoma the steamer Iyo Maru returns to Seattle Friday to complete loading for the Far East.

The steamer Thomas P. Beale is due here April 24 with 1,500 tons of inward cargo from the Atlantic Coast.

The motor vessel Donaldson leaves here May 1 for Alaska where she will enter the services of the Enterprise Steamship Company of Nome.

LONDON SHIPPER BRINGING LIQUOR

Furness Pacific Steamship Has 2,500 Cases Consigned to Liquor Control Board

With approximately 2,500 cases of liquor aboard, consigned to the Liquor Control Board the Furness Pacific steamship London Shipper is due to arrive at Victoria from the United Kingdom on April 22. The vessel is bringing a big mixed cargo from the Old Land. The vessel has close to 200 tons of freight to be discharged here.

The liquor shipment for this port consists of whisky and other assorted liquors. Other cargo to be taken off here includes hardware, red oxide, cotton goods, linens, golf clubs and biscuits.

New Settlement Plan in Australia

Melbourne, April 20 (Canadian Press Cable via Reuter's)—The Government of the State of Victoria has approved as an experiment the scheme of placing 1,000 British immigrants on areas ranging from fifty to a hundred acres in the Bech Forest district, where they will be employed in forestry work and simultaneously receive instructions in agriculture.

The federal immigration commission will consider the proposal.

SPOKEN BY WIRELESS

April 19, 8 p.m., shipping—

CANADIAN FARMER, San Francisco for Victoria, 236 miles from Victoria.

KONGOSAN Maru, Miike for Vancouver, 50.05 N. 131.06 W.

KENILWORTH, Moji for Vancouver, 1,200 miles from Estevan.

YOJIN MARU, Miike for Portland, 1,500 miles from Portland.

AORANGI, 1,400 miles south of Honolulu, northbound.

NIAGARA, 2,200 miles south of Honolulu, southbound.

BOOBYALLA, San Francisco for Seattle, 115 miles from Seattle.

SILVERADO, San Francisco for Portland, 205 miles south of Columbia River.

H. W. BAXTER, San Pedro for Eagle Harbor, 475 miles from Eagle Harbor.

MULTNOMAH, San Francisco for Portland, 105 miles south of Clumbia River.

EOMORE, Taku Bar for Seattle, 130 miles from Seattle.

EMPRESS OF CANADA, 874 miles from Victoria, outbound.

MALTA MARU, Miike for Grays Harbor, 987 miles from Estevan Point.

April 20, 8 a.m., weather:

Pachena—Overcast; east; light; 30.20; 48; sea moderate.

Estevan — Overcast; southeast; light; 30.15; 47; sea choppy.

Alert Bay—Overcast; calm; 30.16; 40; sea smooth.

Prince Rupert—Cloudy; southeast; light; 29.70; 47; sea smooth; 8 p.m. ADMIRAL EVANS, Ketchikan for Seattle, 420 miles from Seattle; 9 p.m. ALAMEDA, Ketchikan for Seattle, seven miles south of Ketchikan; 9 p.m. CARDENA due Stewart northbound; 8 p.m. tug CAPE SCOTT towing DRUM ROCK at ATHUR PASS; 8.30 p.m. PRINCE JOHN leaving Skidigate southbound.

MARINE NOTES

The C.G.M.M. steamship Canadian Ranger is expected to arrive at Ogden Point to-morrow from Seattle. The vessel has been discharging cargo at the Sound City after arriving there from Antwerp and London. The freight consigned to Victoria has not yet been taken off the vessel, as she proceeded direct to Seattle.

The Canadian Pacific steamship Princess Charlotte will be floated into the Government drydock this afternoon at 5.30 o'clock. The basin will not be pumped out until to-morrow morning.

RATE ON TEA

Saskatoon, April 20.—The Saskatoon Board of Trade has filed a protest to the Board of Railway Commissioners against an order by which the rate of tea from Vancouver to prairie points will be increased from $2 per hundred to $2.14 on May 10, while the freight from Vancouver to points East of the head of the lakes will be unchanged. It is claimed that this will mean an increase of two cents a pound in the cost of tea here, counting the weight of containers.

Ganges

Special to The Times

Ganges, April 20.—On Saturday evening at the Women's Institute Hall, Fulford, two exciting basketball games were played, especially the one between the Canadian Puget Sound basktball "A" team and Fulford "A" team. Fulford won by four points, the score being Fulford 27, C.P.S. "A" team 23. Donald Newell of Victoria refereed the game.

The C.P.S. "B" team played Ganges team, with Frank Downey as referee. The score was; C.P.S. 16, Ganges 11. Tea was served in the dining-room and a dance followed. Music was furnished by the local orchestra—Joe Lundy, piano; C. Roberts, saxaphone; Frank Downey, drums.

The police cells were moved on Saturday into their new quarters, and Mr. Marshall expects to get settled in his new location by May 1. The police station and offices will be in the old store rooms of Capt. Bittencourt's old house at Ganges.

The Ven. Archdeacon Laycock gave a lecture, illustrated with lantern slides, on the new cathedral, in the Mahon Hall on Saturday evening. The Archdeacon and Mrs. Laycock are guests of Rev. and Mrs. A. W. Collins.

On Wednesday afternoon a social tea will be held on the grounds at the vicarage, when a musical programme will be given and an address by Mrs. Laycock on the work of the Women's Auxiliary.

APPRENTICES ARE GIVEN PRIZES BY CANADIAN PACIFIC

C. Murphy, General Manager Western Lines, Presents Awards

Calgary, Alta., April 20.—That it was the policy of the Canadian Pacific to encourage the young boy—the apprentice—and to follow that boy throughout the whole of his career with the company, even when superannuated, was explained by Charles Murphy, general manager of western lines, and other officials at an unique gathering on Monday afternoon at the Ogden shops.

The occasion was the presentation of prizes to the apprentices who had been successful in an essay competition on auto-genius welding after serving special instruction in that subject.

The first prize was won by E. A. Ivay, machinist's apprentice; the second by G. Moffatt, boilermaker's apprentice, and the third by D. Meikle, also a boilermaker's apprentice. The competition was open to all apprentices on the western lines of the Canadian Pacific and it was stated by R. A. Pyne, superintendent of motive power, Winnipeg, that the Ogden boys had topped all other competitors. He explained that no favoritism had been shown, the judges not even knowing the names of the contestants, numbers being used in the place of names. J. T. Horne of the car shops department was also presented with a diploma on the completion of his apprenticeship.

Mr. Pyne presided in the absence of C. J. Powles, works manager, owing to indisposition, and stated the company had never yet gone outside of its own ranks for their officers and there was no reason why many of the young apprentices there that day should not later on hold some of the best positions with the company.

The completive examinations, he said, were being extended this year.

The one who came out on top in the examinations throughout the system would win a scholarship at McGill. The prizes in the present competition had been given by J. M. Cameron, general superintendent of the Alberta division; the works manager, and foreman under whom the boys worked. He stated that the boys had been given the opportunity of receiving instruction in connection with the contest on the company's own time.

MOTOR VESSEL TO GO TO BERING SEA

Ms. Donaldson, Which Was Used in Wrangell Island Rescue Expedition, is Sold

Seattle, April 20.—Bound for Bering Sea, where she will enter the service of the Enterprise Steamship Company of Nome, the motor vessel Donaldson, which was used in the Wrangell Island rescue expedition a few years ago, will leave Seattle about May 1.

The Donaldson has been sold by Capt. Alexander Allan and G. H. Helfrich to the Enterprise Company, which will operate the vessel between Nome and St. Michael, the same route she has been serving for Capt. Allan and Mr. Helfrich during the Summer months. At the Olson & Sunde yards in Seattle the Donaldson is being given an overhauling. She joined the Enterprise Company's power schooner Silver Wave at the Olson & Sunde plant. The Silver Wave also is being overhauled in preparation for her Summer service in the North.

The Donaldson is seventy-two feet long and is equipped with a sixty-horsepower engine. She can carry twenty passengers and fifty tons of freight. The vessel was built in 1907 in Valdez, Alaska. She formerly was a fort tender operating between Valdez and Fort Liscum. The Donaldson was named after Lieut. C. V. Donaldson, U.S.A.

VESSEL MOVEMENTS

Minnetonka at New York from London.

Scythia at New York from Liverpool.

Byron at New York from Prague.

Cedric at New York from Liverpool.

Belgenland at Antwerp from New York.

Aluania at Liverpool from New York.

SHIDZUOKA MARU TO DOCK APRIL 28

N.Y.K. Liner Bringing 2,400 Bales of Raw Silk and Big General Cargo

In the service of the Nippon Yusen Kaisha the liner Shidzuoka Maru sailed from Yokohama for Victoria on April 14, according to word received this morning by A. H. Hebb, the local agent. The steamship is due to arrive at William Head on April 28.

For Victoria Shidzuoka has five first-class and twenty-six third-class passengers. Seattle's list comprises five first-class and nineteen third-class travelers.

Included in the freight of the liner is a shipment of 2,400 bales of raw silk, 3,000 tons of general Oriental merchandise and 350 tons of bulk Oriental vegetable oil. For Victoria the steamer has 309 tons of general cargo.

The liner Iyo Maru of the same line, now at Tacoma, will shift to Everett to-day, and will return to Seattle on Thursday and Friday to complete loading for the return Oriental voyage, being scheduled to sail from Seattle and Victoria on April 27.

CANADIAN NATIONAL RAILWAYS

"Continental Limited" leaves Vancouver 9.50 p.m. daily for Edmonton, Saskatoon, Winnipeg, Ottawa and Montreal, making connections for other Eastern points. Carries through all-steel standard and tourist sleeping cars, dining car and drawing-room-compartment-library-observation car, equipped with radio.

Tickets and reservations arranged, also baggage checked through from Victoria.

CANADIAN NATIONAL STEAMSHIPS

Steamer Prince George will leave Vancouver every Monday at 8 p.m. for Stewart and Anyox, calling at Powell River, Ocean Falls and Prince Rupert.

Steamer Prince Charles will leave Vancouver every Thursday at 8 p.m. for Stewart and Anyox, calling at Powell River, Ocean Falls and Prince Rupert.

Steamer Prince John will leave Vancouver fortnightly for Queen Charlotte Island points.

COWICHAN LAKE—DIRECT SERVICE

Motor coach leaves Victoria (Point Ellice) 9.00 a.m. Monday, Wednesday and Saturday for Cowichan Lake and Youbou (mile 83), and 9.00 a.m. Tuesday, Thursday and Friday for Cowichan Lake (mile 73).

Mill Bay Ferry Schedule

Leave Verdier Ave. (Brentwood)	Leave Camp Point (Mill Bay)
7.30 a.m.	8.30 a.m.
9.15 a.m.	10.15 a.m.
11.00 a.m.	12.00 noon
1.30 p.m.	2.30 p.m.
3.15 p.m.	4.15 p.m.
5.00 p.m.	6.00 p.m.

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May 20 June 17 ..... Metagama
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TIMES SHIPPING CHART

OCEAN VESSELS TO ARRIVE

Steamer.	Master.	Agent.	From.	Due
Asuka Maru	Takano	Rithets	Orient	April 26
Shidzuoka Maru	Ito	N.Y.K.	Orient	April 28
President Jackson	Griffith	Admiral-O.	Orient	April 29
Aorangi	Crawford	C.P.R.	Australia	April 30
Atago Maru	S. Enya	N.Y.K.	Orient	May 5
Empress of Australia	Hailey	C.P.R.	Orient	May 5
President McKinley	Lustie	Admiral-O.	Orient	May 11
Yokohama Maru	Shibutami	N.Y.K.	Orient	May 13
Empress of Asia	Douglas	C.P.R.	Orient	May 17
President Jefferson	Nichols	Admiral-O.	Orient	May 24
Alabama Maru	Fuchigami	N.Y.K.	Orient	May 26
Niagara	Showman	C.P.R.	Australia	May 28
Empress of Canada	Robinson	C.P.R.	Orient	May 31

OCEAN VESSELS TO SAIL

Steamer.	Master.	Agent.	For.	To Sail
President Madison	Quinn	Admiral-O.	Orient	April 28
Iyo Maru		N.Y.K.	Orient	April 28
Empress of Russia	Hosken	C.P.R.	Orient	May 1
Africa Maru	Komiya	Rithets	Orient	May 3
Aorangi	Crawford	C.P.R.	Australia	May 5
President Jackson	Griffith	Admiral-O.	Orient	May 10
Shidzuoka Maru	Ito	N.Y.K.	Orient	May 12
Empress of Australia	Hailey	C.P.R.	Orient	May 13
Alabama Maru	Fuchigami	Rithets	Orient	May 14
Atago Maru	S. Enya	N.Y.K.	Orient	May 22
President McKinley	Lustie	Admiral-O.	Orient	May 22
Yokohama Maru	Shibutami	N.Y.K.	Orient	May 27
Empress of Asia	Douglas	C.P.R.	Orient	May 27
Niagara	Showman	C.P.R.	Orient	June 2
President Jefferson	Nichols	Admiral-O.	Orient	June 3
Empress of Canada	Robinson	C.P.R.	Orient	June 10

C.G.M.M. MOVEMENTS

Canadian Freighter left Vancouver for Halifax, Avonmouth, Swansea, Garston, Liverpool and Glasgow April 10.

Canadian Highland left Swansea for Halifax and Victoria April 10.

Canadian Importer arrived Antwerp April 9.

Canadian Inventor arrived Halifax January 14.

Canadian Pioneer left Vancouver for Three Rivers and Montreal March 23.

Canadian Planter left Panama Canal for San Pedro April 12.

Canadian Prospector arrived Fraser Mills April 19.

Canadian Ranger arrived Seattle, thence Vancouver, April 16.

Canadian Seigneur arrived Vancouver April 19.

Canadian Transporter left Victoria for Vancouver April 19.

Canadian Winner left Kingston, Jamaica, for Chatham, London and Antwerp April 8.

Canadian Skirmisher left Halifax for Avonmouth, Liverpool, Carston and Glasgow April 3.

Canadian Coaster left Nanaimo for Ocean Falls April 18.

Canadian Farmer arrived San Pedro April 12.

Canadian Observer arrived Ocean Falls April 16.

Canadian Rover left Ocean Falls for Astoria April 12.

Canadian Trooper arrived Halifax March 23.

SUNRISE AND SUNSET

Time of sunrise and sunset (Pacific standard time) at Victoria, B.C., for the month of April, 1926:

Day	Sunrise Hour	Sunrise Min.	Sunset Hour	Sunset Min.
16	5	20	7	05
17	5	18	7	06
18	5	16	7	08
19	5	14	7	09
20	5	12	7	11
21	5	11	7	12
22	5	09	7	13
23	5	08	7	14
24	5	06	7	16

TRANSPACIFIC MAILS

April, 1926
China and Japan

Empress of Asia—Mails close April 3, 5 p.m.; due at Yokohama April 18, Shanghai April 28, Hongkong April 27.

President Jefferson—Mails close April 4, 4 p.m.; due at Yokohama April 16, Shanghai April 21, Hongkong April 25.

Arizona Maru—Mails close April 7, 4 p.m.; due at Yokohama April 22.

Empress of Canada—Mails close April 17, 5 p.m.; due at Yokohama April 28, Shanghai May 2, Hongkong May 5.

Toyama Maru—Mails close April 17, 11 p.m.; due at Yokohama May 5.

President Madison—Mails close April 28, 4 p.m.; due at Yokohama, May 10, Shanghai May 15.

Empress of Russia—Mails close May 1, 5 p.m.; due at Yokohama May 12, Shanghai May 16, Hongkong May 19.

Australia and New Zealand

Sierra (via San Francisco)—Mails close April 3, 4 p.m.; due at Sydney April 27.

Niagara (direct)—Mails close April 7, 6 p.m.; due at Auckland April 26, Sydney May 1.

Makura (via San Francisco)—Mails close April 18, 4 p.m.; due at Wellington May 10, Sydney May 15.

Sonoma (via San Francisco)—Mails close April 26, 4 p.m.; due at Sydney May 18.

COASTWISE MOVEMENTS

For Vancouver

C.P.R. steamer leaves dany at 2.15 p.m.

C.P.R. steamer leaves daily at 11.45 p.m.

From Vancouver

C.P.R. steamer arrives daily at 7 a.m.

C.P.R. steamer arrives daily at 3 p.m.

For Seattle

C.P.R. steamer leaves daily at 4.30 p.m.

Sol Duc leaves daily at 10.15 a.m.

From Seattle

C.P.R. steamer arrives daily at 1.15 p.m.

Sol Duc arrives daily at 9.30 a.m.

West Coast Route

B.C. Coast Service: From Victoria first, eleventh and twenty-first of each month at 11 p.m.

Portland Canal Route

Canadian National: On Mondays and Thursdays from Vancouver at 8 p.m. for Stewart and Anyox.

Union Steamships: Every Friday from Vancouver at 9 p.m. for Prince Rupert, Anyox, Stewart, etc.

Prince Rupert Route

Union Steamships: Every Tuesday at 11 p.m. and every Friday at 9 p.m. from Vancouver for Alert Bay, Port Hardy, Prince Rupert, etc.

Canadian National: Mondays and Thursdays from Vancouver at 8 p.m.

Auto Ferries

Mill Bay Ferry bridging Island Highway at Malahat — Leaves Verdier Avenue, Brentwood, 7.30 a.m., 9.15 a.m., 11 a.m., 1.30 p.m., 3.15 p.m. and 5 p.m. Leaves Camp Point, Mill Bay, 8.30 a.m., 10.15 a.m., 12 noon, 2.30 p.m., 4.15 p.m. and 6 p.m.

Queen Charlotte Islands Route

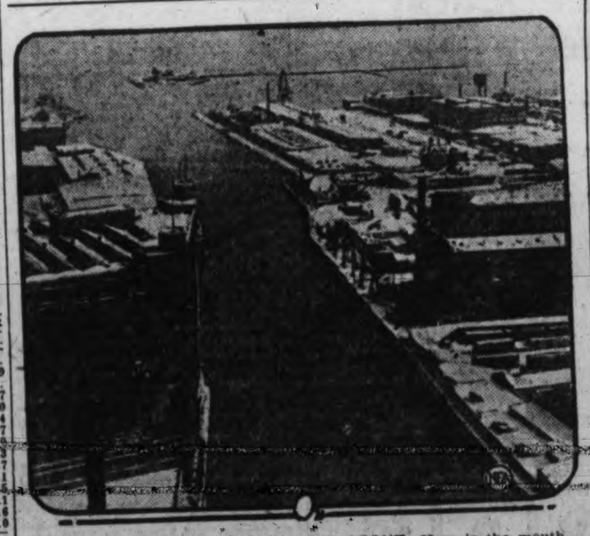
Canadian National: Fortnightly service from Vancouver.

TIDE TABLE

April

Date	Time	Ht	Time	Ht	Time	Ht	Time	Ht
	h. m.	ft.	h. m.	ft.	h. m.	ft.	h. m.	ft.
16 ..	4.00	8.5	12.14	2.0	22.18	7.6	....	..
17 ..	0.04	7.5	4.04	8.4	13.05	2.1	23.34	7.9
18 ..	1.03	7.9	3.58	8.2	13.56	2.3	....	..
19 ..	0.24	8.1	....	..	....	..	14.46	2.7
20 ..	0.56	8.2	....	..	....	..	15.37	3.0
21 ..	1.21	8.2	....	..	....	..	16.28	3.4
22 ..	1.38	8.1	5.49	6.3	10.18	6.4	17.18	3.7
23 ..	1.46	7.9	6.29	5.7	11.22	6.3	18.05	4.0
24 ..	1.52	7.8	8.19	5.4	12.48	6.3	18.53	4.3
25 ..	1.33	7.8	8.25	4.7	13.45	6.5	19.38	4.7
26 ..	1.46	7.8	8.42	4.0	14.38	6.7	20.16	5.1
27 ..	2.01	7.9	9.16	3.3	15.33	6.8	20.50	5.5
28 ..	2.17	8.1	9.46	2.6	16.29	6.9	21.20	6.1
29 ..	2.32	8.3	10.26	2.0	17.36	7.0	21.44	6.6
30 ..	2.46	8.5	11.09	1.6	18.56	7.1	21.12	7.0

The time used is Pacific standard, for the 120th meridian west. It is counted from 0 to 24 hours, from midnight to midnight. The figures for height serve to distinguish high water from low water. Where blanks occur in the table, the tide rises or falls continuously during two successive tidal periods without turning.



HERE'S WHAT THE FIGHT IS ABOUT—Here is the mouth of the Chicago River, into which Lake Michigan runs backward to form Chicago's drainage canal. Lake cities in the United States and Canada are seeking to compel Chicago to stop diverting so much water through this outlet, claiming that it is lowering lake levels and hindering shipping.

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Wall Street TO-DAY

Last Minute News on Stocks and Financial Affairs

New York, April 20 (By R. P. Clark & Co.)—The late rally in the stock with values around the day's best levels, was the feature of the dealings. Early developments market-wise were destined to buying operations in Steel common which had a sustaining influence on values in the standard group, while spots such as Ward Baking "B" and some specialties soon discouraged a more aggressive stand on the buying side, and despite the renewal rate of four per cent the general list turned dull on the afternoon dealings, with little feature to the trend.

The first of the March earning figures that were published to-day were on the favorable side, and the reports of operations of Willys-Overland and Chrysler Motor Car Company disclosed the reverse of what has been published recently in regard to a backward season for some of the other motor companies, in fact, according to various publications, orders are considerably ahead of the maximum manufacturing schedules.

While buying operations to-day could hardly be termed aggressive, the undertone seems to be hardening a trifle and bearish efforts appear to be meeting with less success and, though some of the motor companies report a retrenchment in seasonal business, manufacturing curtailments seem to be more of a seasonal affair, and the discounting of this condition of business appears to have been very generous.

New York, April 20 (By B. C. Bond Corporation's direct Wall Street wire)—The Wall Street Journal's stock market edition this afternoon says: Stocks gave a very good account of themselves during to-day's session and their behavior created a more friendly feeling among the speculative fraternity, although the breadth of the range was not extensive.

Trading fell off sharply in volume whenever prices sold off, suggesting an absence of offerings as the recent lows were approached. Another factor which strengthened the theory that the market was temporarily in a sold-out condition was the indifference displayed by the main body of stocks to weakness in special issues like U.S. Rubber, and Federal Mining and Smelting common.

When selling movements in individual stocks failed to affect the market as a whole, shorts began to display nervousness, and their apprehension increased when call money was offered in the outside market at 3½ per cent, compared with the official rate on the exchange.

Financial interests at the opening was centered on the announcement from Paris that Premier Briand had informed the French Cabinet of an agreement for refunding for the debt to the United States. However, the influence of this development was tempered by the statement denying that a tentative agreement had been reached with the French Government, but intimating that a working basis for settlement for the debt had been decided upon.

CHICAGO GRAIN

Chicago, April 20 (By R. P. Clark & Co.)—Unexpected steadiness in Liverpool led to a brisk bulge at the outset as overnight shorts rushed to cover. The advance met heavy selling from houses with eastern connections and prices dropped sharply in the latter trading, the May delivery growing especially weak. There were 100,000 bushels of wheat worked to come here from Duluth, this attracting long grain in the nearby delivery.

Forecast for unsettled weather in Northwest tempered buying power in the new crop months. The relative steadiness in the Canadian market and export sales of 1,500,000 bushels in all positions were the sustaining factors. Some Durum and new crop winters were worked. Foreign authorities state that native supplies are getting low and that the minimum needs of importers will be 12,000,000 bushels for the balance of the season. Cash wheat premiums locally and at outside markets were generally easy, and primary receipts were moderately increased with some indications of a freer run. Offerings of wheat were fairly well absorbed on the decline. There is no apparent change in conditions underlying the wheat situation and we continue to advise purchases on recessions.

Corn—Showed firmness early, but sold off later in line with wheat, recovering from the bottom in the last few minutes. Commission houses had selling orders in the initial flurry and, with some of the local bears offering, prices gave way. Movement of corn from country moderate and demand locally fair with bids 1 cent lower to 1½ higher. There was some buying of May and selling of September by elevator interests in shifting over hedges.

Chicago, April 20 (By B. C. Bond Corporation's direct pit wire).—Wheat was active and sharply higher at the opening, but heavy selling by houses with Eastern connections and scattered liquidation in May carried prices off three cents from early lows. Good support developed around 143 for July, which checked the decline. Early buying was based on the strengtth in Liverpool on reports of export sales of 1,200,000 to 1,500,000 bushels in all positions, and on buying by houses with Northwestern and foreign connections, while the selling was based on the purchase of 100,000 bushels Duluth wheat to come here. Profit-taking on account of the big advance of late and forecast for showers over the Dakotas and Minnesota.

Corn and oats were easier in sympathy with wheat and on local selling. There was some buying of May corn against selling of September by cash houses at 7 cents difference. Eastern cash demand continues relatively slow, although 50,000 bushels oats were sold to exporters overnight.

	Open	High	Low	Close
Wheat—				
May (old)	167	167¾	162	162¾
May (new)	169	169	164¾	165¾
July	145¼	146¼	142⅞	143⅝
Sept.	138¾	138¾	135⅛	136¼
Corn—				
May	74⅛	74⅝	72⅞	73⅝
July	78⅝	78⅝	77⅝	77⅞
Sept.	81⅛	81⅝	79⅞	80⅝
Oats—				
May	42⅞	43	42¼	42⅝
July	43⅝	43⅝	43⅛	43⅛
Rye—				
May	93⅝	94	91¼	91⅝
July	95⅞	96	93⅝	94⅛

NEW YORK STOCKS

NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE, APRIL 20, 1926

(Supplied by two local stockbrokers over direct New York wire)

	High	Low	Last
Rails—			
Atch., Top. & Santa Fe	127-3	126-4	126-4
Baltimore, Ohio	85-4	84-7	85-3
Canadian Pacific	134-7	134-7	134-7
Chesapeake & Ohio	122-2	121-4	122-2
Chic., Mil. & St. P.	9-3	9-2	9-3
Do., pref.	15-4	15	15-4
Chicago Northwest	67-2	67-2	67-2
Chic., R.I. & Pac.	45-4	45-3	45-3
Delaware & Hudson	155-6	155-6	155-6
Del., Lack. & Western	134-3	134-3	134-3
Erie	30-1	29-4	30-1
Illinois Central	72-2	71-7	72-2
Kansas City Southern	39-4	38-7	39-4
Lehigh Valley	81	81	81
Louisville & Nashville	121	121	121
Missouri Pacific	30-6	30	30-6
Do., pref.	77-2	77	77-2
New York Central	122	121-2	121-6
N.Y., N.H. & Hartford	34-6	34-4	34-4
Ontario & Western	20-6	20-6	20-6
Norfolk & Western	141	141	141
Pennsylvania	51-2	51-2	51-2
Reading	83-4	83	83-2
St. Louis & San Fran.	88-3	88-2	88-3
Southern Pacific	98-7	98-5	98-7
Southern Railway	108-2	107-6	107-7
Texas Pacific	53-4	51-6	53-2
Union Pacific	145-7	145-4	145-7
Wabash	38-7	38-4	38-5
Wabash & "A"	70-8	70-1	70-6
Seaboard Air Line	29-4	29-4	29-4
Motors—			
Chrysler	32-3	31-5	32-2
Chandler Motor Co.	15	15	15
Continental Motors	10-3	10-2	10-2
General Motors	118-5	116-5	117-6
Hupp, Motors	20	20	20
Hudson Motor Co.	64-5	63-1	64
Mack Truck	110-2	109-1	110
Jordan	36	35	35-7
Moon Motors	30	29-4	30
Packard Motor Co.	34-3	33-5	34-3
Pierce Arrow Motor Co.	23-5	22-4	23-3
Studebaker	51-5	51	51-2
White Motor Co.	53-5	52-7	53-4
Willys-Overland	23-4	23-1	23-3
Dodge, Common	28	26-6	27-6
Do., pref.	81-5	81-1	81-5
Accessories—			
Ajax Rubber	9-4	9-4	9-4
American Bosch Mag.	20	19-7	19-7
Fisherbody	84-7	84-3	84-3
Fisk Tire Company	16-4	16-3	16-3
Goodrich Rubber	52-5	51-4	52-4
Kelly Springfield Tire	14-4	14-1	14-4
Lee Tire & R. Co.	10	10	10
Stewart Warner Co.	74-2	72-2	73-2
Timken Roller Bearing	49-4	49-4	49-4
U.S. Rubber	60-6	58-4	60
Hayes Wheel	36	35-6	35-6
Sugars—			
Porto Rico Sugar	98	98	98
Tobaccos—			
Tob. Products	97-4	97	97-4
Lorillard	38-6	38-4	38-6
Gen. Cigar	49	49	49
Coppers—			
Anaconda	43-2	42-3	42-6
American Smelters	112-6	110-4	112
Butte & Superior	12-6	12-6	12-6
Cerro de Pasco Copper	61	61	61
Chile Copper Co.	31-7	31-7	31-7
Dome Mines	14-1	14	14
Granby Cons. Mining	18-6	18-4	18-4
Great Northern Ore	22-4	22-3	22-4
Inspiration Copper Co.	23	22	22
International Nickel	34-4	34-3	34-4
Miami Copper Co.	11-7	11-7	11-7
Motherlode	6-3	6-2	6-3
Nevada Cons. Copper	12	12	12
Utah Copper	12-5	12-4	12-4
Fed. Mining & Smelting	78-4	72-2	77-4
Kennecott	52-1	51-6	52-1
Magma	34-6	34-4	34-6
U.S. Smelting	37-2	36-6	37
Equipments—			
American Locomotive	97	96	96
Baldwin Locomotive	102-5	101-7	102-4
N.Y. Air Brake	39	39	39
Pullman Co.	164-4	158-4	163-4
Railway Steel Springs	63	63	63
Westinghouse	111-4	111-4	111-4
Gen. Ry. Signals	66	66	66
Steels—			
Bethlehem Steel	39-3	38-4	39-3
Crucible Steel	67-2	66-4	67-2
Gulf States Steel	67-4	67	67
Replogle Steel	92-2	92	92
Republic I. & S.	49-7	47-7	49-7
Sloss-Sheffield Steel	109-4	109-2	109-4
United States Steel	119-5	118-5	119
Do., pref.	127-1	127-1	127-1
Youngstown	70-6	70-1	70-4
Ludlum Steel	34-4	34-4	34-4
Oils—			
Tidewater Oil	30-2	30-2	30-2
Ind. Oil & Gas	23-1	22-5	23-1
Associated Oil	47-4	47-4	47-4
California Pete.	24-5	24-4	24-4
Mid-Continental	30	29-5	29-6
Houston Oil	54-1	54-1	54-1
Gen. Pete.	58-7	58-5	58-5
Marland Oil	52-6	52-1	52-6
Pacific Oil	53-7	53-6	53-7
Pan Western	38	37-3	37-6
Do., "B"	63-2	63	63-2
Phillips Pete.	43-1	42-7	43-1
Panhandle	9	9	9
Pure Oil	26	26	26
Royal Dutch	50-3	50-2	50-3
Sinclair Oil	19-7	19-4	19-6
Skelly Oil	30-4	29-6	30-4
Standard Oil—Calif.	53-1	52	53-1
Standard Oil—N.J.	42-1	41-7	42-2
Union	43-4	43	43-2
Texas Company	50	49-6	49-6
Texas Pacific C. & O.	12-6	12-6	12-6
Industrials and Miscellaneous—			
Amn. & Foreign Power	18-6	18-1	18-6
Shultz Stores	43-4	42-4	42-6
Fleischmann's Yeast	38-4	38	38-4
Fathe Exchange	47-5	47-5	47-5
Nat. Cloak & Suit	25-1	25-1	25-1
Radio	35-2	34-4	35-2
Allied Chemical	113	111	112-1
Allis Chalmers Mfg.	82-4	82	82-4
Amn. Agric. Corp.	37-2	36-2	36-2
American Can	42-2	42-5	42-6
Amn. Car Foundry	95-7	95-5	95-7
American Radiator	109-2	109	109
Amn. Tel. & Tele.	146-4	145	146-1
American Woolens	31-4	31	31-4
Atlantic Gulf W.I.	39-1	38-4	39-1
Austin Nichols	19-4	19-4	19-4
Barnsdall "A"	25-4	25-3	25-3
Beech Nut Packing	56	56	56
Brown Shoe Co.	33-7	33-7	33-7
Burns Bros. "A"	133-4	132-7	133-4
Calif. Packing	129-3	128-4	129-2
Chic. Pneumatic Tool	108-2	106	106-4
Central Leather	10-3	10-1	10-1
Do., pref.	47-3	47-1	47-3
Coca Cola	140-4	138-3	139-3
Colo. Fuel & Iron	33-6	32-2	33
Compty. & Tabig.	41-4	41	41-4
Cons. Cigar	51	50	51
Consolidated Gas	91-3	91	91-3
Continental Can	72-6	71-7	72-5
Corn Products	38-6	38-6	38-6
Davidson Chemical	33	32-4	32-4
Dupont Powder	200	197	199
Endicott Johnson	67	67	67
Famous Players-Lasky	116-4	116	116-2
Freeport Texas	27-6	27-2	27-2
General Asphalt	61-4	60-4	60-5
General Electric	296	292-2	293-7
Industrial Alcohol	50-2	50	50
Intl. Combust. Engine	46-6	45-6	46-3
Intl. Harvester	115-4	115	115-4
Intl. Merc. Mar., pref.	42-2	39	39-2
Loews Incorporated	36-5	36-4	36-4
Manhattan Elec. Sup.	68-7	68-6	68-7
May Dept. Stores	111	112	111
Montana Power	72	72	72
Mentgomery Ward	59-6	58-2	58-2
National Biscuit	81-3	80-2	81-3
National Lead	143	138	143
North American Co.	47-2	46-7	47-2
Philadelphia Co.	72	71-4	71-6
Postum Cereal	85-2	82	84-4
Public Service N.J.	77	76-1	76-4
Savage Arms	78	76-4	78
Sears Roebuck	47-4	46	47-4
Texas Gulf Sulphur	133-2	132-4	132-7
United Fruit	102	102	102
U.S. Cast Iron Pipe	16-4	16-2	16-4
Westinghouse Elec.	66-6	66-2	66-2
Western Union	137-4	137-4	137-4
Woolworth Co.	145-3	143-4	145
Worthington Pump	22	22	22
Nat. Cash Register	41	40-5	41
Columbia Gas	77	74-5	77
Union Bag & Paper	37-4	37-4	37-4
Congoleum	15-6	15-5	15-5
Gimbel Bros.	49-1	49-1	49-1
Universal Pipe	16-2	15-2	16-2
Do., pref.	60	60	60

Montreal Stocks

(By R. P. Clark & Co. Limited)

	Last
Asbestos, pref.	118-4
Abitibi	73-3
Asbestos	96-2
Atlantic Sugar	23-4
Bell Telephone	137-4
Brazilian Traction	87
Asbestos pref., new	67-4
Brompton Paper	31
Can. Cement, com.	102-4
Do., pref.	115
Can. Car Fdy., com.	42-4
Do., pref.	80
Can. S.S., com.	16-4
Do., pref.	66
Can. Cottons	116
Can. Converters	94
Cons. M. & S.	295-4
Dom. Bridge	94
Can. Ind. Alcohol	17-3
Dom. Glass	92
Dom. Textile	90
Howard Smith	42
Lake of Woods Milling	149
Laurentide Co.	85
Mackay Co.	131-4
Montreal Power	221
National Breweries	58
Ontario Steel	64
Ogilvie Milling Co.	170
Ottawa Power	95
Penmans Limited	180
Shawinigan	150-7
Spanish River Pulp	100
Do., pref.	110
Steel of Can.	98-2
Twin City Elec.	70

TO-DAY'S EXCHANGE

Canadian sterling—Buying $4.83½, selling $4.86½.

Japanese yen, 47.1 cents.

Chinese tael (Shanghai), 69¾ cents.

New York, April 20.—Foreign exchanges irregular. Quotations in cents:

Great Britain—Demand 485 13-16, cables 486¼, 60-day bills on banks 482.

France—Demand 3.30½, cables 3.31.
Italy—Demand 4.02, cables 4.02½.
Belgium—Demand 3.60½.
Germany—Demand 23.80.
Holland—Demand 40.08.
Norway—Demand 21.87.
Sweden—Demand 26.86.
Denmark—Demand 26.16.
Switzerland—Demand 19.31½.
Spain—Demand 14.38.
Poland—Demand .1060.
Czechoslovakia—Demand 2.96.
Jugoslavia—Demand 1.76½.
Austria—Demand .1412½.
Rumania—Demand .39.
Argenina—Demand 40.18¾.
Brazil—Demand 13.93¾.
Tokio—Demand 46.87½.
Shanghai—Demand 76.37½.
Montreal—Demand 100.15⅝.

LIQUOR CHARGES AGAINST FORMER COMPANY OFFICIAL

New York, April 20. — Edward E. Kelly, former vice-president of the United States Trucking Company, is out on bail of $20,000 awaiting trial on charges of conspiracy to smuggle liquor illegally into the United States and to bribe coastguard members. He was arrested at his home yesterday and arraigned in United States district court.

Kelly is accused of being one of the ringleaders of the so-called "Bill Dwyer" rum conspiracy, which resulted in the return of sixty-one indictments in January.

DUNWELL ADDING TO CREW AT MINE

Proven and Over 2,000 Tons Waiting on Dump For Mill

Stewart, April 20—Forty-five men are now employed at the Dunwell, and arrangements are being made to house ten more. Work is progressing on three levels in the mine, with satisfactory results in every section. The raise, 6x12 feet, has been completed from No. 4 level to No. 3, a distance of 210 feet, and will for some time at least be the main working raise of the mine. It is equipped with an ore pass, skip way and man way. A similar raise is being driven from No. 3 level to No. 2, a distance of 230 feet, and is now up 80 feet. On No. 3 level four stope raises are also being put up, one of which was rushed to No. 2 for ventilation purposes. The north drift of No. 3 is being driven ahead toward the Sunbeam showings, which are approximately 1,000 feet to the north and extend another 750 feet to the boundary between Dunwell and Victoria Mines. The vein on No. 3 level has been proven for a distance of 560 feet and at a depth on the dip of 750 feet below the surface.

A stope raise is being put through from No. 2 level to the surface for blocking out ore as well as for ventilation. Drifting to the north has also been started on No. 4 level, the vein here being 4½ feet wide, with good milling ore. A feature of the Dunwell vein is that both walls are free and well defined, the vein varying in width from two to eight feet so far as explored. This makes for easy mining and a clean product.

Shipments amounting to 220 tons have been made recently, and 2,000 tons are on the dump awaiting the construction of a concentrating mill, which will be started in a short time. The flow sheet for the mill has been worked out by the best experts obtainable.

High-grade Silver Hit Near Alice Arm

Alice Arm, April 20.—High grade silver ore has been encountered underground on the Wolf property, near Falls Creek by J. Fiva and associates, who have a bond on the property.

The ore vein is about two feet wide, and is impregnated with native, brittle and ruby silver. The vein dips into the hill at an angle of about twenty-five degrees, and is one of the strongest and best defined veins ever found in the district. The hanging wall section of the vein was first encountered at a distance of 110 feet from the portal of the tunnel, and the stoping ground to the surface is seventy feet. The vein has been traced for a distance of 600 feet on the surface, and it can readily be seen that a large tonnage of ore is now available for mining.

As soon as the tunnel has been extended to the footwall, a drift will be driven on the ore to the north, and stoping of ore will commence. A drift will later be driven on the south also.

The Wolf, which is within three minutes' walk of Alice Arm, was bonded by J. Fiva and associates from J. Stark, after they had prospected the ground and found an interesting surface showing of ore caused by the uprooting of a tree.

They stripped this showing and incidentally took off sixteen tons of ore which realized $100 per ton in silver and gold.

A tunnel was then commenced in order to encounter the ore at depth. Work on the tunnel has been pushed with great reapidity during the past few months, and the longed-for contact with the ore occurred last Saturday.

The property has been developed without aid of outside capital.

Premier-Indian Deal is Pending

Stewart, April 20.—For several weeks there have been rumors and counter rumors circulating, not only through this district but on the outside, to the effect that he Premier Gold Mining Co. had acquired the Indian mine. No deal has been closed, but one is pending, its consummation depending upon an agreement satisfactory to both mining companies being reached.

It was generally known here that through the Winter the Premier made a very exhaustive examination of the Indian mine, but this was nothing unusual, as it is the policy of this company to keep posted on all mining developments as fully as they are permitted. What was not generally known is that thorough tests of Indian ore were made in both the Premier laboratories and in the South, and the ore found very amenable to treatment by the methods employed at the Premier.

The Indian is located a short distance northwest of the Premier and is supposed to carry the extension of the Premier's northwest-southeast vein system.

Ore Shipments Heavy at Trail

Trail, April 20.—Following is a statement of ore received at the Trail smelter for the period April to April 14, inclusive:

	Tons
Allenby Copper Co., Allenby	403
Bluebell, Riondel	717
Cork Province, Zwicky	104
Dunwell, Stewart	110
Galena Farm, Silverton	92
Lucky Jim, Zincton	321
Rosbery Surprise, New Denver	92
Whitewater, Retallack	99
Oliver, Oliver	89
Quilp, Republic	172
Silversmith, Sandon	47
Thelma, Merritt	1
Yankee Girl, Yir	454
Company Mines	8,862
Total	11,663

METAL MARKET

London, April 20.—Standard copper, spot, £57; futures, £57 17s 6d.
Electrolytic, spot, £64 10s; futures, £65.
Tin, spot, £273 2s ¼d; futures, £267 7s 6d.
Lead, spot, £27 17s 6d; futures, £28 7s 6d.
Zinc, spot, £31 17s ¼d; futures, £32 5s 6d.

New York, April 20.—Copper dull; electrolytic, spot and futures, 14 asked.
Tin weak; spot and nearby, 62.50; futures, 60.25.
Iron steady; unchanged.
Lead steady; spot, 7.85.
Zinc easy; East St. Louis spot and futures, 6.95 to 7.00.
Antimony, spot, 11.50.

NEW YORK COTTON

(By R. P. Clark & Co. Limited)

	Open	High	Low	Close
Jan.	16.65	16.70	16.65	16.66
March	16.77	16.85	16.77	16.81
May	16.55	16.54	16.53	16.54
July	16.63	16.66	16.60	16.61
Oct.	17.16	17.16	17.09	17.13
Dec.	16.72	16.80	16.73	16.78

NEW YORK SUGAR

(By R. P. Clark & Co. Limited)

	Open	High	Low	Close
Jan.	2.75	2.75	2.70	2.70
March	2.76	2.78	2.77	2.78
May	2.40	2.40	2.37	2.39
July	2.53	2.53	2.50	2.52
Sept.	2.65	2.65	2.62	2.65
Dec.	2.76	2.76	2.73	2.76

SUGAR

New York, April 20.—Prices were unchanged in the raw sugar market to-day. While no sales were reported, nearby sugars were offered at 4.14, duty paid. The refined sugar market was quiet and prices were unchanged to 5 points lower, with list-quotations now ranging from 5.15 to 5.60 for fine granulated.

SALES IN VANCOUVER

Vancouver, April 20—Sales this morning on the Vancouver Stock Exchange: 500 Ruth Hope at 30; 500 at 30½. 1,010 Maple Leaf at 35; 100 at 36. 100 Premier at 225; 300 at 228. 500 Marmot at 8; 5,000 Silversmith at 49; 200 at 49½. 1,000 Leadsmith at 7½. 1,000 Richmond at 6½. 550 Indian at 10; 3,000 at 10½. 1,000 Independence at 8¾.

Outland Silver Bar Mine Gets Supplies

Stewart, April 20.—Twelve tons of material have been freighted into the Outland Silver Bar property by Ernest Bryson of Hyder, who finished his contract this week. The freight consisted principally of lumber and other building material for the construction of a camp, and a quantity of blacksmith coal. F. C. Outland, head of the company, is expected in by the middle of the month to take personal charge of the camp construction and mining.

WINNIPEG GRAIN

Winnipeg, April 20.—Heavy profit-taking sales, which quickly filled the day's export demands, brought about a downturn in wheat prices here to-day after new highs had been reached in the early trading. The early advance ranged from 1⅝ to 3⅜, while the close was ⅜ lower to ¾ higher, with May at 159; July 156⅞ and October 135½. The high for May was 161¼.

There was an excellent export demand during the first two hours, but offerings were extremely heavy, the short selling being credited to Eastern interests. Spreading trade also weakened the market, selling of Winnipeg July against purchases of Chicago July and September.

The coarse grains were strong during the early part of the day, when there was scattered buying, but eased later. There was a good demand for cash barley.

Winnipeg, April 20 (By R. P. Clark and Company).—Wheat: The market opened with a rush this morning, there being an excellent demand, with exporters buying and shorts covering, and prices were 1⅝ to 3⅜ for May and July above the close Monday. The market evidently displayed too much early steam, which brought out heavy realizing sales which filled the demand, and prices eased off. Later there was continued selling that was credited to Eastern interests, and with distinct weakness in Chicago prices fell under the previous close, but made a fair rally finally, and closing figures were ⅝ up for the day on all future months. On the scale down exporters and other strong interests were absorbing the offerings, the market acting very stubborn on the decline, with the shorts becoming nervous and inclined to cover, and if any encouragement had been forthcoming from American markets our market would easily have done better.

New York reported a keen demand for wheat, with early sales estimated at 1,250,000 to 1,500,000 bushels, largely Manitobas. Broomhall reports there is increased evidence that European supplies are now much reduced, and this has forced buyers in the market in a liberal way. Broomhall estimates that world's import requirements until the end fo August will be a minimum of 12,000,000 bushels weekly. This will necessitate close marketing of reserves, and will make the market very sensitive to any crop complaints.

The market may react a little further, but we continue to advise purchases on all recessions.

Coarse grains: Early scattered buying of oats and barley carried prices to a good advance, part of which was lost later in sympathy with the decline in wheat, and oats closed ½ higher, barley ¼ higher, rye trailed along after wheat, and with a light trade final figures were 1 to 1¼ up.

Flax: Displayed a firmer tone, but trade was not large, final figures being 1¼ to 1⅜ higher. Demand continues quite moderate.

Winnipeg, April 20 (By B.C. Bond Corporation's Direct Pit Wire)—Wheat opened sharply higher under the influence of heavy buying orders for seaboard and foreign accounts. Offerings not heavy until weakness in American markets caused liberal profit taking by locals and commission houses.

American markets were weak on forecast for unsettled weather and lower cash premiums. The buying locally was very impressive throughout the session, and offers were well absorbed at all times. From the class of buying past few days, it would appear as if foreign interests are becoming apprehensive regarding supplies and are buying the nearby options.

Export business is estimated at 1,500,000 with indications of further business late in the session. Bradstreets showed decrease of 5,890,000 in the world's visible and Broomhall's review was again bullish. Australia is reported to be suffering from the worst drought in years. Seeding is becoming fairly general in Western Canada, but Alberta reports high winds with considerable soil drifting. The manner in which offerings were absorbed to-day is very encouraging to holders of wheat, and would not be surprised to see sharply higher prices. Favor purchases on any declines.

	Open	High	Low	Close
Wheat—				
May	160	161¼	158¼	159
July	158	159¼	156	156⅞
Oct.	138	139¼	135⅝	136⅛
Oats—				
May	52¼	52½	51⅜	51⅞
July	51⅞	51⅞	51⅜	51⅜
Oct.				47⅞
Barley—				
May	66¼	66⅝	66¼	66⅝
July	67	67¼	66⅝	67
Oct.	63¼	63⅝	63¼	63½
Flax—				
May	198⅝	198⅝	197⅝	198⅝
July	201⅝	201⅝	200⅝	201⅝
Oct.	202½	203	202¼	203
Rye—				
May	94⅛	95	92	94⅛
July	96	96½	93⅞	95⅝
Oct.				93

Cash Prices

Wheat—1 Nor., 161½; 2 Nor., 155⅛; 3 Nor., 150⅛; No. 4, 144⅛; No. 5, 134; No. 6, 121; feed, 104; track, 159; screenings, $4 a ton.

Oats—2 C.W., 54⅜; 3 C.W., 49⅜; extra 1 feed, 49⅜; 1 feed, 46⅜; 2 feed, 44⅜; rejected, 42⅜; track, 51⅜.

Barley—3 C.W., 65⅜; 4 C.W., 62⅜; rejected, 66½; feed, 59⅜; track, 66⅜.

Flax—1 N.W.C., 197⅜; 2 C.W., 192⅜; 3 C.W., 180⅜; rejected, 170⅜; track, 198⅜.

Rye—2 C.W., 93⅜.

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Victory Loan, 5½%—Tax Free		
1927 1st June and Dec.	100.90	101.90
1933 1st May and Nov.	104.75	105.75
1937 1st June and Dec.	107.75	108.75
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1931 1st April and Oct.	101.10	102.10
1937 1st March and Sept.	105.50	104.50
(Payable New York)		
Victory Loan, 5½%		
1927 1st May and Nov.	100.40	101.40
1932 1st May and Nov.	102.30	103.30
1934 1st May and Nov.	102.90	103.90
Dominion Loan		
1923 15th April and Oct.	99.90	100.90
1943 15th April and Oct.	100.95	101.95
1940 1st March and Sept.	95.40	96.40
1944 15th April and Oct.	95.40	96.40
1934 1st Feb. and Aug.		103.00

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VICTORIA STOCK EXCHANGE

	Bid	Asked
Mining—		
B.C. Silver	1.75	2.00
Dunwell Mines	1.85	2.03
Glacier Creek	..	.12
Gladstone	..	.36
Gleaner	..	.50
Howe Sound	30.00	34.00
Independence	..	.08½
Indian Mines	.09	.13
International Coal	.15	.18
Lakeview	..	.05½
Lucky Jim	.14½	.17½
Marmot Metals	..	.10
Porter Idaho	.08	.11½
Premier Mines	2.20	2.20
Rufus	..	.11
Ruth Hope	.30	.36
Selkirks	..	.02½
Silverado	.35	.50
Leadsmith	.07	.08½
Goldsmith	.15	.17
Richmond	..	.07
Malaspina	..	.35
Silversmith	.48½	.50
Sunloch Mines	.25	..
Terminus	..	.35
Victoria	..	.20
Oils—		
B.C. Montana	.00¼	.00¾
Miscellaneous—		
B.C. Electric	99.25	102.00

Sales

200 Dunwell 2.00
350 Silversmith .... .49
1,000 Silversmith .... .49¼
500 Silversmith .... .49¼
500 Glacier .... .19¼
375 Indian .... .09½
500 Silverado .... .35
500 Leadsmith .... .07½
1,000 Leadsmith .... .07½

VANCOUVER

(By R. P. Clark & Co. Limited)

	Bid	Asked
B.C. Silver	1.90	2.05
Bayview	..	.12
Daily Alaska	.10	.20
Dunwell	1.85	2.00
Forty-nine	.10	.18
Glacier	..	.14
Gladstone	.32	.34
Hazelton	..	.01½
Howe Sound	31.00	..
Indian	.10	.16½
Intl. Coal	.16	.20
L. & I. Glacier	..	.16
Lucky Jim	.16	.20
National Silver	.16½	.20
Premier	2.25	2.28
Ruth Hope	.28	..
Selkirks	..	.04¼
Silver Crest	.11	.13
Silversmith	.48	.49½
Surf Inlet	.07½	.08½
B.C. Montana	.00¼	.00 5-16
Porter Idaho	.09½	.12
Independence	.08½	.10
British Pete.	.26½	.29

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	Bid	Asked
Baldwin	1⅝	1⅞
Barry	26	27
Bidgood	6	6½
Buckingham	3¼	3½
West Dome	13½	13
Dome	1390	1410
Goldale	28	30
Hunton	22	..
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Births, Marriages, Deaths

BORN

INGRAM—At the Jubilee Hospital, on April 18, to Mr. and Mrs. Charles Ingram, a son (stillborn).

MARRIED

WILLIAMS-EDWARDS—At high noon, Monday, April 19, at Christ Church Cathedral, Ethel Victoria, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. Edwards, 2537 Fernwood Road, to Victor Nathaniel, youngest son of Mrs. J. H. Williams, Glengarry Apartments, Cook Street, and the late J. H. Williams of Bournemouth, England.

DIED

BRUCE—At Victoria, B.C., on April 18, 1926, William Bruce, aged 82 years; born in Aberdeen, Scotland. The deceased is survived by his widow, one daughter and one son.

The remains are resting at Hayward's B.C. Funeral Chapel, where service will be held Wednesday afternoon at 2.30. Interment will be made at Ross Bay Cemetery.

PENWILL—On April 19, 1926, at 1298 Dallas Road, Mary Jane, widow of the late C. T. Penwill, aged 82 years.

The funeral will be held Wednesday morning, April 21, at 11 o'clock, from Hayward's B.C. Funeral Chapel. Interment will be made in Ross Bay Cemetery.

ROWSON—On April 17, 1926, at Victoria, B.C., Mrs. Emily Rebecca Rowson, aged 63 years; born in Carlton, Colville, Suffolk, England. She leaves to mourn her loss, besides her husband, one daughter, Mrs. W. Best of San Francisco; four sons, William of Oakland, Cal., Robert of Courtenay, John in Vancouver, and Stanley in Victoria; also six grandchildren, a sister, Mrs. J. Thompson, in Victoria, and a brother, Mr. G. Hawes of California.

Funeral service will be held at the family residence, 2217 Quadra Street, on Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Rev. D. Walker will officiate and interment will be made at Royal Oak Burial Park.

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"Dear Rand: I'm writing to tell you a new angle on this case of yours. It's the doggon-dest case I was ever on and it's got me nearly batty. You remember that the day clerk in the Canfield Hotel said the man who registered for the room your father was found murdered in gave the name of H. A. Jones of New York. Well, the clerk shows up yesterday with word that he had seen this man Jones on the street the day before.

"He tried to follow him, but he lost him and came in to tell us about it. We've been looking for him ever since. Now I think you're on a wild goose chase, sticking around in New York. This fellow probably has a pretty good reason for hanging around Grafton, and that's where we'll find him if we do.

"You're letting this Maynard woman kid you. She's in on this somehow, and that story of being picked up by somebody who got her ticket stub and handkerchief sounds pretty thin. I'll bet she knows who this Jones guy is and she's covering up for him. She never thought the thing would be traced to her and she had time to think up a yarn when the police got her. My own private idea of this thing is that this guy Jones is operating some sort of blackmail gag and he uses a woman now and then to help him out. He answers the description of a man who's been doing that sort of thing in cities around this neck of the woods for some time.

"In the case of your father he ran up against the wrong man and he got scared and killed him. You see if I'm not right. You might think this is some kind of wild dream I've got, but I think I know what I'm talking about. At any rate, Mr. H. A. Jones isn't in New York and I think you're wasting your time. Why don't you let them bring the Maynard woman back here and come back yourself?

"Best regards,

"MOONEY."

"Mooney, you're dead wrong," Jimmy said softly as he folded the letter. "If the man I'm looking for is in Grafton, how do you explain these warnings I'm getting to leave town? And how do you explain that affair last night? No, Mooney, if H. A. Jones, or whatever his name is, is in Grafton, then H. A. Jones isn't the man we want. He's right here in New York, and I need Olga Maynard to help me find him."

He finished his breakfast hurriedly and then sat down and wrote Mooney an answer, telling of the warnings and the attack of the night before.

"Of course," he wrote, "you must'nt think I'm ignoring the possibility that H. A. Jones may be in Grafton. Keep on looking for him. But there's a lot going on here that I want to find the reason for."

The days that followed were uneventful. To Jimmy they were wholly unsatisfactory. Despite the efforts of Lieutenant O'Day and the best detectives at his command, the solution to the identity of Jimmy's assailants on that eventful night was still as far away, apparently, as ever.

And as for the man whom Olga Maynard mentioned as having got hold of the ticket stub and the handkerchief, if he did actually exist and was not a creation of Olga's imagination, he seemingly had succeeded in dropping completely out of sight.

With Olga, Jimmy frequented the cabarets and roamed at night the brightly lighted downtown streets of New York, hoping to catch a glimpse of him.

"I don't know if that's the way to look for him or not," Olga told him. "But I saw him downtown once and he seemed to know a lot about the restaurants and theatres and other night life. I don't know how else to go about it."

"It's the only way," Jimmy agreed, "unless I run into those men who followed me home that night." He had told her of the episode and she had been greatly alarmed to learn that he was in danger.

"You should go back to Grafton," she told him. "You'll be hurt—maybe killed—if you stay here."

"How do you know?" he followed up quickly. "You talk as if you knew something about it."

She appeared hurt at the suspicion in his voice.

"I don't know why you ask me that—in that way," she answered. "What do the police think of it—don't they think you're in danger? Why shouldn't I think the same thing without being accused of knowing something about it?"

"I beg your pardon," he said contritely. "I shouldn't have spoken that way. The fact is, though, I'm getting to be suspicious of everything and everybody." He didn't tell her that Mooney had written, telling him that the man known as H. A. Jones had been seen in Grafton.

"I—I don't blame you for being suspicious of me." She turned her eyes away from him as she spoke. "But I thought somehow that you believed me. No one else does, apparently. Whether you do or you don't, you should go back to Grafton. I don't want to see you hurt."

He studied her a long time. "Don't you realize," he asked her finally, "that if I go back to Grafton you'll have to go there, too? The district attorney consented to letting you go free temporarily so you could help me find this man you told about. They'll be wanting to make an arrest soon. They think they have to to save their faces. Some one will have to stand trial pretty soon for this murder. If I go back now, it will be you."

Olga appeared to be thinking this over. She bit her lip nervously, and tears came to her eyes.

"I don't care," she said softly, turning to face him. "I don't care what they do to me. You go back. You've been kind to me—the only one who has, the only one who helped me. I don't want anything to happen to you."

He flushed uncomfortably, not so much at what she had said as at the way she had said it. It suddenly occurred to him that a remarkable change had come over this girl. That hardness of manner which had characterized her on the occasion of their first few meetings had gone. The old air of defiance—it had amounted at time almost to brazenness—also was missing.

"You've changed a lot since I first met you," he said hesitantly, and her eyes dropped before his inquiring look.

"Are you surprised?" she asked. "Hasn't—hasn't what has happened been enough to change me?"

"Troubles do sober us," he agreed. "I'm a different sort of person myself to what I was before this happened. But with you—I don't know—it's hard to understand." He was about to tell her that her very appearance had changed—that she was dressed differently—more quietly—and was using less rouge. But he thought better of it.

"The old life doesn't interest me any more," she said. "I don't know. Something inside of me has snapped since—" She stopped.

"Since when, Olga?" It was the first time he had called her that.

"Oh, since this happened," she answered evasively.

They parted then, and he went home, vaguely troubled.

The sun was shinging brightly when he left his room the next morning, and the air was cold and bracing. He had taken stock of his finances the night before and it hadn't been encouraging.

"Less than $200 between me and starvation," he said ruefully. "If I don't get a job soon I'll be on my uppers." There was clothing to buy, and his evenings with Olga, although not expensive individually, were making serious inroads. He was still firmly determined not to ask his mother or Janet for help.

The cheerful aspect of the morning he regarded as a good omen, and he went quite hopefully about the task of job hunting. But it was just another morning of discouragement, and noon time found him weary and depressed.

He told himself, "If I don't find something to keep me busy in the day time—something to get my mind off myself—I'll go crazy."

He turned into Central Park and wandered absent-mindedly along the walks. The sun had taken the chill off the air. Office workers, out on their lunch hour, were sitting on the benches, gossiping and laughing.

"That's what I need," he muttered almost savagely, "something to make me laugh."

He plodded on, his hands thrust in his overcoat pockets, his head down. A squirrel jumped across his path and he idly followed the frisky little creature with his eyes. Then he saw something ahead of him that made his heart leap.

On a park bench just ahead of him was a girl. She was sitting alone, resting her weight on her arm and looking down at the ground. There was something disconsolate looking about her, but that was not why he had started so eagerly at sight of her. She was Mary Lowell.

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NEW INCOME TAX RULES ARE ISSUED

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Persons employed on salary or wages, unmarried, receiving less than $1,500, or married and receiving less than $3,000, should not file returns, as they will not be required.

Persons in business, however, whose gross incomes exceed these amounts, even if their net incomes are less than amounts of exemptions, should file returns as usual.

Married persons with children, receiving over $3,000, should file returns, even if exemption for children makes them non-taxable.

The changes in the Income Tax Act announced in the budget will apply to incomes of 1925 and thereafter, but cannot be acted upon until an act has been passed by both Houses of Parliament and royal assent has been given.

Taxpayers may, however, on their own responsibility, estimate their own tax liability under the budget proposals of April 15, 1926, and pay accordingly, but no assessment will be levied until after the bill becomes law. When approved, refunds will be granted in cases where overpayments have been made.

VANCOUVER JAPANESE CONFESSES MURDERS

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"Are you Soitsu Furukawa?" inquired Sergeant Deacon, and the Japanese replied in the affirmative.

Taken to Inspector J. Thompson's office, the man said he had been wandering around all night and exhibited his hands, which were terribly cut and scratched as if in a struggle in which a knife or sharp instrument had been used.

KNEW OF NO WRONG

"He appeared quiet and unconcerned," said Inspector Thompson, "and wished to make a statement, apparently thinking he had really committed no wrong."

Before any statement was taken from him he was removed to a cell, and after an interpreter had been secured he was allowed to tell his story, which was taken down in writing to be used as evidence against him.

Sataro Furukawa, the widower, who is a brother of the arrested man, was notified the arrest had been made, but he manifested no emotion.

Police say statements made by the man corroborate letters found in his room after the crime, and in which the writer is alleged to have said that to wipe out family dishonor he must kill the woman, her child and two other Japanese.

The arrested man will appear before Magistrate H. C. Shaw to-morrow, when a remand will be made pending the finding at the inquest.

MAN FOUND INSANE

Los Angeles, April 20.—James Hart, accused of murdering his aunt, Mrs. Ellen E. Phinney, whose body was found hidden in a folding bed, was found insane by a lunacy commission here yesterday. Hart, after the verdict, demanded a jury trial.

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DR. GOWEN TO SPEAK ON CHINESE CRISIS

Will Address Canadian Club Luncheon Wednesday Noon

Dr. Herbert Gowen, Dean of the faculty of Oriental languages and literature of the University of Washington, will give an address before the Canadian Club at its luncheon at the Empress Hotel to-morrow at 12 noon. He will speak on the subject, "Great Britain and the Chinese Puzzle," an explanation of the present Chinese situation in its relation to other nations.

Dr. Gowen is an Oxford man and his long sojourn in the Orient and his intimate knowledge of the Oriental mind make him one of the leading world authorities on this subject. Members of the Women's Canadian Club will be welcomed to hear the address.

MARKET CHANGES TO BE MADE SOON

Uniformity to be Feature of New Stalls, it is Stated

Renovation of the city public market will be undertaken at the earliest possible moment, stated Alderman John Harvey, chairman of the market committee to-day. At present stall holders are busy with displays of flowers and seedlings in a form of bedding that may not be disturbed. When the lull between this season and the fruit gathering time occurs the market alterations will be put through.

The plan will place Victoria in possession of a market which will compare very favorably with anything of its nature on the Coast. The stalls will be enlarged and made uniform, with holders able to secure sections of uniform size, to the number of their requirements.

The price to be asked stall holders will be but slightly in advance of that now paid, and the appearance of the market will be greatly improved. Alderman Harvey will ask the council to call for tenders for the work in ten days or two weeks' time.

TO IMPROVE ROADS OF OKANAGAN AREA

Sutherland Will go to Interior to Investigate Needs of Fruit Valley

Improvements to the road system of interior British Columbia will be investigated by Hon. W. H. Sutherland, Minister of Public Works, in the course of a trip to the Okanagan Valley soon. Dr. Sutherland plans to improve the road from Westbank south to Penticton, the main highway from Kelowna and northern Okanagan points southward. A new ferry will be operated between Kelowna and Westbank to facilitate transportation further and replace the present scow used to carry automobiles.

Okanagan people are asking the Government to build a new road from Kelowna southward to Naramata on the east side of Okanagan Lake, opposite the present road, which is on the western side. This project would cost $400,000, which is considered beyond the Government's plans at this time. With a new ferry and an improved road on the western side of the lake the needs of the valley will be well taken care of for the present, the Public Works Department believes.

RUTH HAS SUCCESS

Washington, April 20.—Babe Ruth, Yankee homerun hitter, hit his first home run of the season to-day off Walter Johnson in the first inning of a game between New York and the Senators.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS

NOTICE REGARDING TEMPORARY CLOSING OF ROADS DURING TARVIATING OPERATIONS

On or about the 21st April, 1926, weather permitting, tarviating operations will commence on the following roads:

SOOKE ROAD, from Colwood Junction to Goldstream Cross Road.
HAPPY VALLEY ROAD, from Luxton to Barker's Hill.
METCHOSIN ROAD, from Colwood Junction to Millbank Hill.
MALAHAT DRIVE, from Goldstream Road end to Summit Road Junction.
COLWOOD ROAD, from Parsons Bridge to Colwood Junction.

It will be necessary, as work progresses, to close short sections of road for periods of 24 to 48 hours, to allow material to dry. Suitable detours will be arranged, notices erected and watchman stationed on the Island Highway to advise the motoring public.

Motorists are asked to kindly co-operate with the Public Works Department by driving slowly over completed sections of the work for at least four or five days after opening.

P. PHILIP,
Deputy Minister and Public Works Engineer.
Parliament Buildings,
Victoria, B.C., April 17, 1926.

LAND REGISTRY ACT

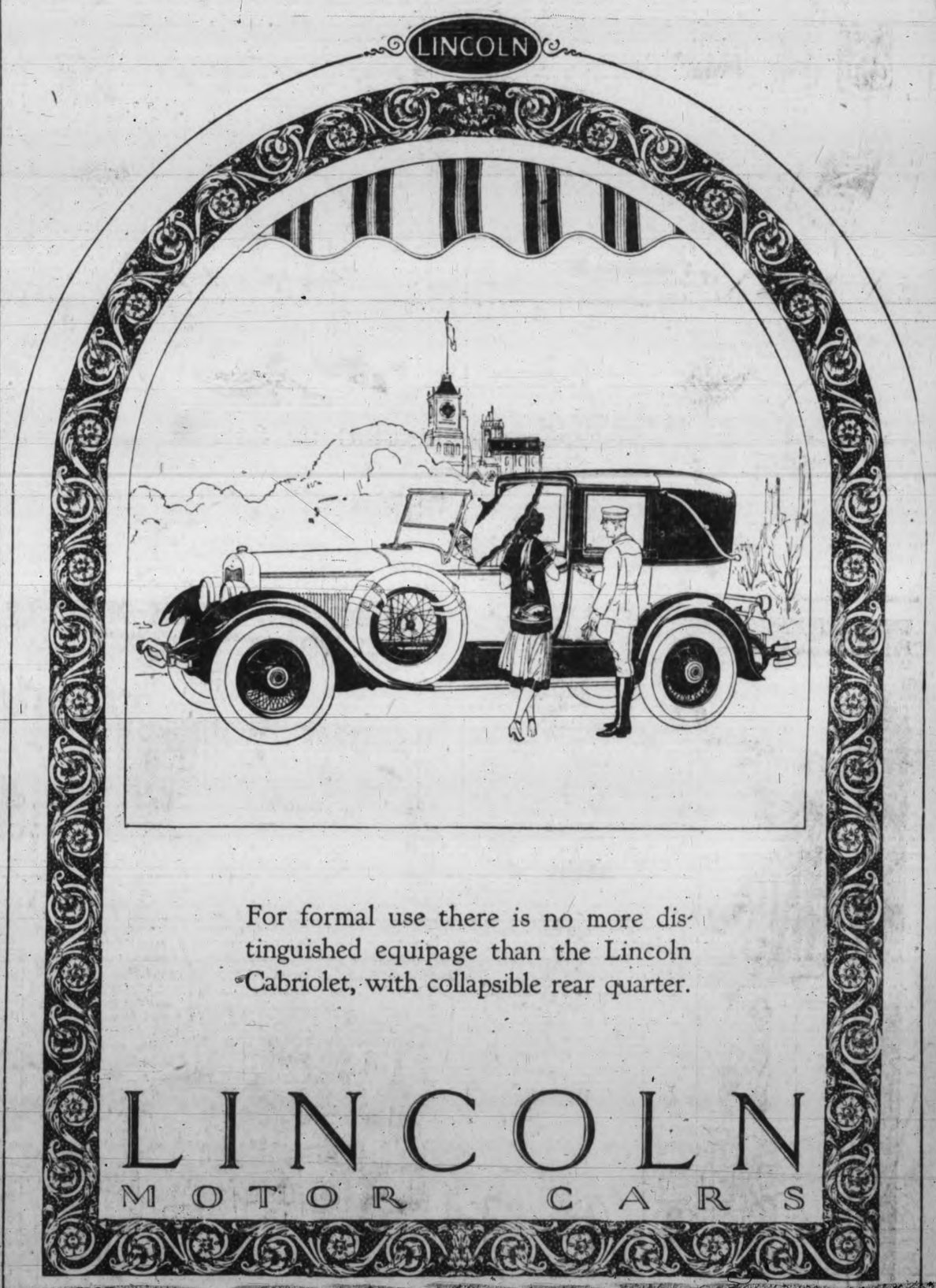
In the Matter of Subdivision Lot 8, Lake Hill Estate, Victoria District, Map 180.

Proof having been filed in my office of the loss of the Certificate of Title to the above mentioned lands in the name of Joseph Nicholson and issued the 28th day of February, 1920, I hereby give notice of my intention, at the expiration of one month from the first publication hereof, to issue a provisional Certificate of Title in lieu of such lost Certificate.

Any person having any information with reference to such lost Certificate of Title is requested to communicate with the undersigned.

Dated at the Land Registry Office, Victoria, B.C., this 14th day of April, 1926.

H. J. CRANE,
Registrar,
Victoria Land Registration District.



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